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NEWS AND COMMENT.

IMAGINE appropriation bills before the Senate aggregating an expenditure of $306,000,000! Whither are we drifting.

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW has been on a tour through the West in the interest of his Presidential boom for 1892 with fair results. HARRISON has taken the wink and now passes many a sleepless night.

THUS far Congress has passed only two bills of any great importance to the general public; the silver bill and the McKINLEY tariff bill, both of which were railroaded through under the crack of the party whip by Czar REED irrespective of the wishes of the people.

THE Reidsville daily *Review* has succumbed to the inevitable—indefinitely suspended. Experience has proven in more ways than one that North Carolina is by no means a good field for daily journalism. The weekly *Review*, a staunch Democratic paper, will be continued by Messrs. GILLIAM & OLIVER.

WHEN the Republican party assumed control of this government in March, 1889, it found a surplus of $100,000,000 in the Treasury, and to-day a little more than one year in office, is facing a deficit. Hoarding it up in the Treasury vaults was bad enough, but such a wholesale squandering of the people's money is growing to be a serious matter.

VERILY the way of the transgressor is hard, and HARRISON is in hard luck again. His State has slumped away from him politically, his party disdains him, and now a conference of the Presbyterian Church, of which he is a member, condemns him for smoking and for placing wines on the table at the White House. Really it looks as grand pa's grand son finds "Jordan a hard road to travel."

THE State of Oregon has "blazed the way" for others to follow by the election of a Democratic Governor. Hitherto Oregon has been Republican to the tune of from twenty to thirty-five thousand, but forbearance has ceased to be a virtue with the Oregonians and they are determined to put their stamp of rebuke on TOM REED and his despotic, unprincipled and corrupt henchmen. Straws will tell which way the wind blows.

SENATOR VANCE declines to support the Sub-Treasury bill, introduced by him sometime ago, at the request of some of his friends. Senator VANCE is the acknowledged friend to the people, and his declination to champion this measure does not argue well for the merits of the bill, as it would be difficult for us to believe that Senator VANCE is not the same staunch friend of the people that he has on all occasions proved himself to be.

THE approaching session of the Teachers' Assembly at Morehead City this year bids fair to eclipse all former occasions at this popular summer resort, be it said much to the credit of our old friend Maj. EUGENE G. HARRELL. Of all the hard-worked and poorly paid people in the world are the school teachers and editors, and we bid them God speed in their onward progress and wish for them many pleasant and profitable hours at Morehead.

THE authorities of the Richmond & Danville Railroad have assured Col. J. TURNER, MOREHEAD, of Leaksville, that the Railroad from Danville to Bristol, Tennessee, will be built, and that Leaksville, Madison and Winston will be on the main trunk line. It is conjectured now that the mileage of railroad construction in this State this year will exceed that of any previous year in the history of the State. This of course means a rapid and constantly increasing development of our almost boundless resources. Keep the ball in motion.

CUMBERLAND GAP leads the world for reunion sentiment. P. ALEXANDER, A. ARTHUR and JNO. M. BROOKS resolved themselves into a committee of three the other day and inaugurated a movement to erect, by popular subscription, at that place, two colossal equestrian statues of Gens. R. E. LEE and U. S. GRANT; the former looking North and the latter looking South, extending hands to each other. The novelty of the idea seems to have taken the country by storm and several thousand dollars have already been subscribed.

CHARGES of a most disgraceful character have been preferred against one GREEN B. RAUM, HARRISON'S Commissioner of Pensions. Among other things, he stands charged of railroading through all claims entrusted to the firm of RAUM & Co., pension attorneys, of which firm he seems to be a silent member. Also a "racket" by which he sells stock in a worthless patent to his subordinate officials, with an implied understanding that each holder of stock will be promoted in the government employ with a corresponding increase of pay. Under the fire RAUM has resigned, and the ultimate result of the exposure can hardly be conjectured.

THE slurs and jeers with which the census enumerators come in daily contact, indicate very plainly that the people have little or no confidence in the present administration and still less respect for those who are directing its course and shaping its policy. Viewed from any standpoint this is to be regretted. It has long been the pride of the American citizen to boast of the grandest government beneath the shining sun, and no sadder picture could be painted than to see the confidence of sixty-five or seventy millions of people shaken in its administration of their national affairs. Indeed "it is a condition and not a theory" that confronts the American people to-day.

LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The freedom of the city of Edinburg was presented to Henry M. Stanley; he made an appropriate speech thanking the authorities for the honor conferred. ——A disastrous conflagration, accompanied with great loss of life, is reported from the mining districts of the Ural mountains; more than a thousand buildings were destroyed, and forty persons were burned to death; eighteen thousand persons are made homeless. ——Serious riots are reported among the strikers in Silesia, Austria, and the military had to be called out to quell the disturbance. ——The Union-Labor party of Arkansas met in convention at Little Rock, and made nominations for State officers; not one half of the counties of the State were represented. ——W. W. Dickerson, of Grant county, Ky., has been nominated to succeed Mr. Carlisle; two hundred and seven ballots were taken. ——A bill has been introduced in Congress increasing to $350,000 the limit of cost of the public building in Wilmington. ——The street car strikers in Columbus, Ohio, are giving more trouble, and the situation is threatening; the police force is unable to preserve the peace, and it is proposed to call out the militia. ——The writ of habeas corpus in the case of Kemmler has been vacated, and the prisoner has been remanded for execution. ——Two slight shocks of earthquake were felt at San Francisco last week. ——S. E. Thurber, of the New York firm of Thurber, Whyland & Co., is dead. ——Queen Victoria's favorite lady-in-waiting, the Marchiouness of Ely, is dead. ——The contract for the large lake in Montford Park, on the west side of the French Broad river, has been let and it is to be completed by the 15th of September. The price for the work is $10,000. A new iron bridge is to be built across the French Broad to connect Montford Park with the property of the company on the Asheville side. Electric cars will run to the park. The famous Richmond Hill lies within the boundaries. The park will contain a race-course one and one-quarter miles in length. There will also be a driveway around the lake. ——An immense crowd attended the opening meeting of the Democratic State campaign at Greenville last week. Benjamin Tillman attacked the State government in a long speech, and General John Britton, candidate for Governor on the regular Democratic ticket, made his first address. The campaign will be a very exciting one. The Tillman faction express great confidence, and regular Democrats are beginning to organize in every county. ——Chancey M. Depew is ill at Chicago. ——M. Eiffel, of tower fame, has obtained the concession for building an elevated road in Paris. ——Geo. H. Pell, the New York bank wrecker, was sentenced to seven and a half years' imprisonment at hard labor. ——Umpire Blogg was mobbed by enraged base-ball "cranks" at Denver. Blogg has left the town. ——In Brooklyn Thomas Clifford, who had been arrested for intoxication, died in the street while being taken to the court-house. ——A statue to the late Governor Hubbard was unveiled in Hartford with imposing ceremonies. ——Sixty fox hounds, valued at $2,000, the property of the Radner Fox Hunting club, of Philadelphia, have been destroyed by poison on account of the prevalence of rabies among them. ——Edward Mulford, of Patchogue, L. I., died on the train of heart disease while being taken to Sing Sing prison. ——Lucy W. Follett died at Hubbardston, Mass., aged 101 years 1 month and 1 day. She was a native of Hubbardston. ——The twenty-second annual meeting of the American Philological assoceition, will be held at Norwich, Conn., beginning July 8. ——Governor Hill signed a bill exempting euitors and reporters of newspapers from jury duty in New York city. ——The supreme court of New York affirmed the conviction and sentence of ex-Sheriff Flack. ——A colored girl and two children were burned with a house, which was set on fire by lightning, on a farm near Williamston. Two other negroes were in the house, but ran out and escaped. ——Brazil endorses the action of the pan-American conference in recommending arbitration in all questions of differences between the several governments of America. ——Two men were killed and three wounded in a scrimmage between the Turners, of Harlan county, Kentucky, and a sheriff's posse. The row arose over the shooting of a dog. ——Speaker Reed has been renominated for congress by his constituents. ——Mackerel have been struck in great quantities all alongshore west of Halifax, and already large numbers have been caught. ——Lawrence Brown shot and killed James A. Metcalf in the Casey county, Kentucky, court room, while the latter was on trial for the murder of his (Brown's) brother. ——Ex-President Cleveland arrived at Marion, Mass., where his wife had preceded him. They will spend the greater part of the summer there. ——The Farmers' Alliance and the Knights of Lobor in a State convention at Huron, S. D., decided to form a new political party. They favor prohibition and female suffrage. ——Mrs. Harrison has been presented with the cottage in which she spent a portion of last summer at Cape May Point as the guest of Postmaster General Wanamaker. ——The ship building firm of William M. Cramp & Sons, of Philadelphia, is going to increase its capital stock to $3,500,000 and extend its shipbuilding yards. They will become the largest in America. ——Mr. Geo. M. Pullman denies the report that he offered $5,000,000 to the Chicago world's fair fund on condition that he be permitted to name the site. ——The British admiralty court has awarded $28,000 salvage to the *Aldergate* and $3,000 to the *Ohio* for towing the disabled *City of Paris* into Queenstown harbor a few months ago. ——A young woman carried off the honors in the June examination at Cambridge University. ——An iron baleony fell on a street crowd in San Jose, Costa Rica. Four persons were killed and many injured. ——Mrs. Susan Ney, of Boston, by mistake drank a glass of lemonade in which she had put strychnine with the intention of giving it to her husband. She died. ——Three persons were severely injured by a railroad collision at Natural Tunnel, Va. ——Greensboro has been selected as the place, and the second Wednesday in June 1891, the time, for holding the next State Convention of the Funeral Directors Association of North Carolina. ——Geo. A. Ramsey, of Burgaw, Attorney for the W. W. R. R. died last week. ——Col. H. C. Jones, of Charlotte, has announced himself a candidate for Congress in the sixth district. ——The citizens of Asheville are so persistent in evading the census enumerators that Superintendent Porter has asked Senator Vance and Congressman Ewart to interfere in the matter. ——The Senate committee on commerce adds $3,000,000 to the House river and harbor bill and the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill is increased $313,470 in the Senate committee.

DEMOCRATIC PLAN OF ORGANIZATION.

The following is the plan of organization heretofore adopted by the State Democratic Committee for the guidance of the party:

TOWNSHIP ORGANIZATION.

1. The unit of county organization shall be the township. In each township there shall be an Executive committee, to consist of five active Democrats, who shall be elected by the Democratic voters of the same townships in meetings called by the county executive committee. And said committee so elected shall elect one of its members as chairman, who shall preside at all committee meetings.

2. The several township executive committees shall convene at the meetings of the several county conventions, or at any time and place that a majority of them may elect, and shall elect a county executive committee, to consist of not less than five members, one of whom shall be designated as chairman, who shall preside at all of said committee meetings.

3. In case there shall be a failure on the part of any township to elect its executive committee for the period of thirty days, the county executive committee shall appoint said committee from the Democratic voters of said township.

4. The members of the township committees shall elect to any vacancy occurring in said committee.

5. The county executive committee shall call all necessary county conventions by giving at least ten days' notice by public advertisement in three public places in each township, at the court house door, and in any Democratic newspaper that may be published in said county, requesting all Democrats of the county to meet in convention in their respective townships on a common day therein stated, which said day shall not be less than three days before the meeting of the county convention, for the purpose of electing their delegates to the county conventions. Thereupon the convention so held shall elect their delegates to represent the townships in the county conventions from the votes of the respective townships, which delegates, or such of them as shall attend, shall vote the full Democratic strength of their respective townships on all questions that may come before the said county convention. In case no convention shall be held in any township in pursuance of said call, or no election, committee shall appoint such delegates.

6. Each township shall be entitled to cast in the County Convention one vote for every twenty-five Democratic votes, and one vote for fractions of fifteen Democratic votes cast by that township at the last preceding gubernatorial election: *Provided*, That every township shall be entitled to cast at least one vote, and each township may send as many delegates as it sees fit.

7. In cases where townships consist of more than one ward or precinct, each of said wards or precincts shall be entitled to send delegates to county conventions, and shall cast its proportionate part of its township's vote, based upon the last preceding vote for Governor in said township.

8. The chairman of township committees shall preside at all township conventions. In their absence any other member of said committee may preside.

9. In cases when all the township executive committees are required to meet for the purpose of electing a county executive committee, said meeting shall be deemed to have a quorum when a majority of such townships shall be represented in said meeting.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CONVENTIONS.

1. The several county conventions shall be entitled to elect their Senatorial, Judicial and Congressional Conventions one delegate and one alternate for every fifty Democratic votes, and one delegate for fractions over twenty-five Democratic votes cast at the last preceeding gubernatorial election in their respective counties, and none but delegates or alternates so elected shall be entitled to seats in said conventions: *Provided*, that every county shall have at least one vote in each of said conventions.

2. The chairman, or in his absence, any member of the county, senatorial, judicial and congressional committee, shall call to order their respective conventions and hold the chairmanship thereof until the convention shall elect its chairman.

2 The executive committees of the senatorial, congressional and judicial districts, respectively, shall, at the call of their respective chairmen, meet at same time and place in their respective districts, designated in said call. And it shall be their duty to appoint the time and place for holding conventions in their respective districts; and the chairman of said respective committees shall immediately notify the chairmen of the different county executive committees of said appointment, and the said county executive committees shall forthwith call conventions of their respective counties in said notice, to send delegates to said respective district conventions.

STATE CONVENTION.

The State convention shall be composed of delegates appointed by the several county coventions. Each county shall be entitled to elect one delegate and one alternate for every one hundred and fifty Democratic votes, and one delegate for fractions over seventy-five Democratic votes cast therein at the last gubernatorial election; and none but delegates so elected shall be entitled to seats in said convention: *Provided*, That any county shall have at least one vote in said convention.

GENERAL RULES.

1. Such delegates (alternates of absent delegates) as may be present at any Democratic Convention shall be allowed to cast the whole vote to which their township and county may be entitled.

2. In all conventions provided for by this system, after a vote is cast, there shall be no change in such vote until the final result of the ballot shall be announced by the chairman of said convention.

3. All Democratic executive committees shall have the power to fill any vacancies occurring in their respective bodies.

4. That the chairmen of the different county conventions shall certify the list of delegates and alternates to the different district and State conventions, and a certified list of said delegates and alternates to the State conventions shall be sent to the secretary of the State Central Committee.

A SHIP'S LARDER.

The Mountains of Food Used on an Ocean Steamer.

N. Y. Sun.]

In the busy season the City of Paris carries about 550 first cabin, 250 second cabin and 650 steerage passengers. There are 400 in the ship's company, including doctors, printers, boiler makers, six bakers, three butchers, seventeen cooks, hydraulic, electrical and other engineers to the number of thirty-two, 148 stewards and eight stewardesses. So there may be about 1,850 aboard.

Notwithstanding the fact that many of the passengers are seasick from the time they pass Sandy Hook until Fastnet is sighted, they manage to consume in one trip something like 13,000 pounds of fresh beef, 3,000 pounds of corned beef, 4,000 pounds of mutton, 1,000 pounds of lamb, 2,000 pounds of veal and pork, 15,000 pounds of bacon, 500 pounds of liver, tripe and sausages, 200 hams, 300 pounds of fish, 20,000 eggs, 17 tons of potatoes, 3 tons of other vegetables, 3,600 pounds of butter, 500 pounds of cheese, 600 pounds of coffee, 350 pounds of tea, 100 pounds of icing sugar, 150 pounds of powdered sugar, 670 pounds of loaf sugar, 3,000 pounds of moist sugar, 700 pounds of salt, 200 pounds of nuts, 560 pounds of dried fruit, 20 barrels of apples, 3,600 lemons, 20 cases of oranges—and other green fruit in season—300 bottles of pickles, 150 bottles of ketchup, sauce, and horse radish, and 150 cans of preserves.

There are also quantities of poultry, oysters, sardines, canned vegetables, and soups, vinegar, pepper, mustard, curry, rice, tapioca, sago, hominy, oatmeal, molasses, condensed milk, "tinned" Boston beans, confectionery and ice cream. Fifty pounds of ice cream are served at a single meal in the first cabin.

Thirty tons of ice are required to keep the great storerooms cool. Eight barrels of flour are used daily. The bakers are busy from dawn of day. They make 4,000 delicious Parker House rolls for breakfast every morning. Thirty eight-pound loaves of white bread and 100 pounds of brown bread are baked each day; also pies, puddings, cakes, etc.

Eight barrels of common crackers and a hundred tins of fancy crackers are stowed away in the storeroom, together with 100 pounds of wine and plum cake, not a crumb of which is left when Liverpool is reached. Six thousand bottles of ale and porter, 4,200 bottles of mineral waters, 4,500 bottles of wine, and more or less ardent spirits are drunk inside of six days by the guests of this huge floating hotel. About 3,000 cigars are sold on board, but many more are smoked. Two hundred pounds of toilet soap is supplied by the steamship company.

Degrees Conferred.

State Chronicle.]

The following degrees were conferred by the Trustees of the University:

L. L. D. was conferred upon Dr. Thos. F. Wood, of Wilmington, who stands among the foremost doctors of the South. Last fall, in Detroit, I met a prominent gentleman from Chicago who spoke of Dr. Wood in such terms of praise as to show that his reputation has traveled abroad. Mr. John S. Long, of New Berne, was given L. L. D. He is an accomplished belles-lettres scholar, and is an honored Alumnus of this University.

The degree of L. L. D. was also conferred upon Senator Z. B. Vance and Associate Justice Walter Clark—two of the greatest and most scholarly of North Carolina's public men. The degree of L. L. D. was also conferred upon Hon. H. Taylor, leader of the Mobile bar. He has recently written the ablest book of this decade on the American Constitution. He is an Alumnus of Chapel Hill.

The degree of D. D. was conferred upon Rev. Frank L. Reid, editor of the Raleigh *Christian Advocate;* Rev. Jas. H. Cordon, pastor of Edenton St. Methodist church in Raleigh; Rev. Jos. B. Cheshire, Jr., rector of the Episcopal church in Charlotte; and Rev. Lewis H. Reed, of Hartford, Conn. Rev. Mr. Reed, of Connecticut, is a distinguished Presbyterian divine, and was recommended by Hon. Grover Cleveland and others. I know nothing of him, but if Grover Cleveland recommended him I know he deserves it. The University can well afford to do anything that Grover Cleveland recommends. Rev. Dr. Cheshire is the son of Tarboro's famous divine. He is an Alumnus of the University, and is a leader in thought in his church. His sermon at the Centennial at Fayetteville marked him as a strong thinker. He is also one of the most accomplished historians in the State among the young men. Rev. Dr. Frank L. Reid, D. D., stands in the front rank among Methodist divines. The first preacher to receive the degree of D. D. from the University after the war was the sainted Rev. Numa F. Reid, D. D., father of the accomplished editor of the Raleigh *Christian Advocate*. The present Dr. Reid has just returned from St. Louis where he won reputation and additional territory. He is an excellent preacher and diligent student, and will wear the title worthily.

I am particularly gratified that the University has given the degree of D. D. to my pastor, Rev. J. H. Cordon. He is one of the brightest, most original and striking preachers in the Methodist Conference. He is young, and a future of wide fame stretches out before him.

The Louisiana Lottery Company.

BATON ROUGE, June 7.—The text of the proposed lottery amendment has been made public under the following caption: "An act providing for submission to the electors of the State, for adoption or for rejection, an amendment to the constitution of the State, by inserting therein an article on levees, schools, charities, pensions and drainage." The proposed amendment embraces a contract between the State and John A. Morris and associates under which for fixed privileges for 24 years from January 1st, 1894, Morris & Co. agree to pay the State $24,000,000; or $1,000,000 per annum, payable quarterly. Provision is also made for the expenditure of the money to be received by the State annually as follows: Public Schools, $350,000; Levees, $350,000; Charities and Pensions, $200,000; City of New Orleans for drainage and sanitary purposes, $100,000. The measure will be introduced Monday next.

[Wipe out this abomination—this crying offense against honesty and morals—though its managers should increase their bribes ten-fold. The Governor of Louisiana has expressed himself very strongly against this gigantic swindle, and we hope to see the people of his State, through its legislature, sustain him fully.—EDS. OBSERVER.]

Growth of England's Population.

London Spectator.]

The increase of the population in England and Wales is still very rapid. According to the statistics for 1889, just published by the Registrar-General, the births in that year were 885,179, and the deaths 517,968, and increase of 357,211 within the six months without allowing for imigration.

That is a good solid colony added to the population every year. The total number now exceeds 29,000,000, or six times the population of Ireland, which was once much more than half our own. The births of men exceed those of women by 16,411, so that the disproportion between the sexes in favor of women is due entirely to emigration and occupations abroad. But for these intervening causes the number of the sexes would be nearly equal, the excess of male deaths being more than fourteen thousand. At the present rate of increase the population of England and Wales will in 1970 be at least sixty millions—rather a formidable prospect if it were certain that rates would keep steady. There is, however, no certainty of the kind.

LIFE ON THE ROOFS.

Scenes on the Tops of the Metropolitan Houses.

N. Y. Chatter.]

We have all heard of the roofs of Jerusalem—much the finest features of the town, no doubt—yet the whole of Jerusalem is a trifle compared to the life on the roofs of New York. In a place where land is valued as it is on this island, there is a great city under ground and a great fraction of the life of the place is spent on the roofs.

In the summer the tennement roofs are pleasure resorts of the poor. Beginning at Baxter street and continuing north to Harlem, on the East side, the demand for sleeping places on the cool and breezy roofs is so great that only first comers find places—the tardy ones find no sleeping room left.

Then, too, the tennement roofs are greatly in use as ball rooms on early summer evenings. There the boys and girls dance to the music of mouth organs and accordeons. They are great places for lovers to woo in. The parks and roofs are the courting grounds of the poor, for there is no privacy in the tiny crowded homes. The roofs of hundreds of cheaper apartment houses are the clothes-drying grounds, and the tenants are obliged to agree to take their turns at this use of the space, the first floor tenants having the roof on Mondays, the second floor on Tuesdays, and so on.

Leaving these crowded hives we turn to what the English call the "self contained" or separate dwellings, and here again the roofs are utilized. Some are quite elaborately fitted up in summer with potted flowers and awnings and swinging hammocks—even with cots at night. We know of one which supports a glass enclosed apartment with a bath tank for use all the year around. New York has a concert hall on the roof as every one knows, and the roof of the palatial Equitable Building is one of the show places in the city, the best place from which to view all the other roofs that shelter 3,750,000 persons in and around town.

From there and from the Brooklyn Bridge you can see that businesses are also carried on above garrets, the businesses of solar printing, of pelt and fur dying, of preparing rushes, wicker stuff for chairs and many other callings—more than any of us are aware of. Only last summer Mr. W. T. Smedley, the well-known artist, took his easel and palette upon the roof of the Chelsea, that towering apartment house in West Twenty-third street, and spent the whole summer there at work under the open sky and in the blended breezes of the bay and the Hudson.

Rare Instance of Self-Denial.

In the last German war, a captain of cavalry was commanded to go foraging. He set out at the head of his company, going to that section which was assigned him. It was a secluded valley, where nothing could be seen save woods. He perceived at the door of an humble cabin an old hermit, with white beard. "My father," said the officer, "show me a field where I can forage my horses?"

"Directly," said the hermit.

This good old man, placing himself at their head, recrossed the valley. After a quarter of an hour's march, they found a beautiful field of barley. "This is what I want," said the captain. "Wait a moment," said his conductor, "you shall be satisfied." They continued to march, and arrived about a quarter of a mile further, at another field of barley. The troops immediately dismounted, reaped the grain, placed it upon their coups, and remounted. The cavalry officer then said to his guide: "My father, you have made us go too far unnecessarily; the first field was better than this." "That is true, sir," replied the old man, "but it was not mine."

A Romance of the Turf.

Chicago Herald.]

Hermit, the winner of the sensational English Derby in 1867, which was run in a snowstorm and for which 66 to 1 was bet against him, has just died of old age. The horse belonged to Henry Chaplin, now minister of agriculture, who won a fortune by the animal's victory. It is a well-known story now that the then Marquis of Hastings had stolen away Chaplin's affancied bride, and it was the Marquis who bet against Hermit as long as he could find anyone to lay money on the horse. Chaplin himself was the chief backer, and he had the satisfaction of half ruining the man who robbed him of his intended wife. Beyond his winning of the Derby, Hermit was rather a failure as a race-horse, but at the stud he produced more prize-winners than any other stallion, and yielded his owner a princely income. His progeny won in stakes alone $1,579,940 in England and $136,715 in France.

At a Boarding-House Table.

"How are you, Butter. How do you feel to-night?"

"Oh, I am just as strong as possible. How are you Mr. Coffee?

"Well, to speak the truth, I feel very weak. I don't feel settled and the grounds upon which I am admitted to society don't suit me at all. How are you, Miss Milk?"

"Oh, I feel very blue. I fell in the water this morning and came near being drowned; but don't chalk that up against me, and if you see a cow anywhere around I'd lacktotometer."

Then the steak yelled out, "Bully" and the mutton said "Go-at while you are young," while the boiled eggs fairly cackled in derision.

An Unfortunate Family.

The Lampton family is in one respect the most unfortunate family in Austin. They have lost by death six children, but the births are pretty much in the ratio of the deaths, so that the family is far from being childless. A few weeks ago there was another death in the family, and the undertaker's assistant called at the house. A small boy met him at the door.

"Is your pa in?"

"What do you want to see him about?"

"I want to ask him when the funeral will take place."

"You needn't see him then at all, if that is all you want. I can tell you that. Pa always buries us at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Routine.

"Your wife, sir," said a physician to a friend of ours, who was consulting him about his spouse, "is suffering from routine. There is no disease, but there is a lowering of the whole system simply from the monotony of her life. Take her out of her household cares for a time, for a change, and she will improve at once." From routine! we had not thought of it before, yet many people are almost on the sick list for the want of that variety that is necessary to quicken all the springs of life!

Doubtful.

"Do you think your father likes me?" he inquired.

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Offers his professional services to the citizens of Fayetteville and the surrounding country. Office at Sedberry's Drug Store. Room at Overbaugh House.
May 9, 1889. 6m

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Nov. 5, 1889. tf

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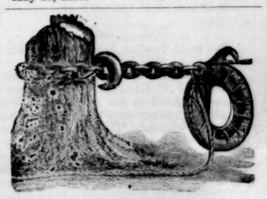
Telephonic communication with Horne's Drug Store.
Nov. 8, 1889. 6m

Fayetteville Foundry and Machine Shops!
JOHNSON & McNEILL, Proprietors,
are fully equipped with all necessary machinery and ready to serve the public in the way of repairing
ENGINES, BOILERS, PUMPS, SAW AND GRIST MILLS, COTTON GINS, PRESSES AND ALL KINDS OF MACHINERY.
All work guaranteed to give satisfaction.
Call or write the undersigned for prices, &c.
JOHNSON & McNEILL,
MACHINISTS,
Fayetteville, N. C.
May 15, 1890. 6m



The Hawk Eye Grub and Stump Machine will clear two acres of ground at one setting of the machine. Will pull an ordinary stump in one and one-half minutes. A man and boy with a mule or horse can run the machine. It works better in standing timber than with stumps.
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May 15, 1890. 3m

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—WE UNDOUBTEDLY HAVE THE—
BEST POLISH FOR FURNITURE.
WE ARE SOLE PROPRIETORS OF THE RECEIPT FOR ITS MANUFACTURE.
None genuine unless obtained from our store or from our duly authorized salesmen, who will call on you and show the merits of our LIGHTNING POLISH, which takes the housekeeper by storm.
It brings to original lustre any furniture, from the finest Rosewood Piano to the cheapest bedstead, and removes all stains and scratches.
A trial will convince the most skeptical.
Call early, as our supply on hand is limited.
Yours respectfully,
ROYALL & BORDEN.
Fayetteville, May 22, 1890.

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—DEALER IN—
Hardware, Cutlery, Pistols
GUNS, &c., &c.
Sporting Goods of Every Description.
HEADQUARTERS FOR
Engine and Saw Mill Supplies.
Rubber Belting, Leather Belting, Lace and Belt Fastenings
OF ALL KINDS AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.
Estimates and Correct Measurements Given for Machinery and Machinery Supplies.
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS ALWAYS IN STOCK
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TURPENTINE AND EDGE TOOLS
—OF EVERY DESCRIPTION MANUFACTURED AND FOR SALE.—
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Paving Brick and for Factory Use a Specialty. Capacity 20,000 per day. Correspondence solicited from Street-Paving Contractors, Factory Men and others in need of a genuine article. Best Brick manufactured South of Philadelphia; will stand a pressure of 100 tons. I am prepared to fillil ALL orders, large or small. For further particulars, call on or address
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October 18, 1889.—1y] Fayetteville, N. C.

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W. L. DOUGLAS
$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.
Fine Calf, Heavy Laced Grain and Creedmoor Waterproof.
Best in the world. Examine his
$5.00 GENUINE HAND-SEWED SHOE.
$4.00 HAND-SEWED WELT SHOE.
$3.50 POLICE AND FARMERS' SHOE.
$2.50 EXTRA VALUE CALF SHOE.
$2.25 & $2 WORKINGMEN'S SHOES.
$2.00 and $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES
All made in Congress, Button and Lace.
$3 & $2 SHOES FOR LADIES
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Best Material. Best Style. Best Fitting.
W. L. Douglas, Brockton, Mass. Sold by
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Jan'y 2, 1890. 6m

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Best gold watch in the world. Perfect timekeeper. Warranted heavy, solid gold hunting cases. Both ladies' and gent's sizes, with works and cases of equal value. ONE PERSON in each locality can secure one free, together with our large and valuable line of Household Samples. These samples, as well as the watch, are free. All the work you need do is to show what we send you to those who call—your friends and neighbors and those about you—that always results in valuable trade for us, which holds for years where once started, and thus we are repaid. We pay all express, freight, etc. After you know all, if you would like to go to work for us, you can earn from $20 to $50 per week and upwards. Address, Stinson & Co., Box 812, Portland, Maine.

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When you want the MOST and best goods for the LEAST money, just step into these stores, and you will find any and everything you can wish for in the line of seasonable GROCERIES, FINE CANNED GOODS, Etc. It will pay you to take a look at this stock of goods, even if you do not wish to buy.
We can furnish you with the Best and also the Cheapest Flours on the Market, and guarantee to give you the most perfect satisfaction for the money
Feb'y 20, 1890. tf

Pearce's Mill and Vineyard for Sale.
That valuable property known as Pearce's Mill and Vineyard is offered for sale. The tract contains 615 acres, of which about 15 acres are in sauppernong grapes in full bearing and in good condition. The vines have yielded 1,000 bushels of grapes in one year.
The mills consist of a saw and grist mill on a never failing stream, two and one half miles from Fayetteville.
There is a comfortable dwelling and suitable outhouses on the premises.
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Fayetteville, N. C., April 24, 1890. tf

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Nice new Turn-outs, new Buggies, new Carriages, new Teams. Carriages always at every Train. Drummers sent in the country at reasonable rates. Special attention given to BOARDING HORSES, doctoring horses, training fast horses or breaking horses, colts, &c.
Give us a trial and we will give satisfaction or take no pay. Remember that our C. H. Legg will be on hand all the time and ready to attend to business, and all business of the stables will be under his special supervision. Horses, Mules, Buggies and Harness always on hand and for sale.
C. H. LEGG & CO.
Jan'y 9, 1890. tf

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—SUCCESSORS TO—
JAMES WILLIAMS,
—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN—
OLD NICK
Pure Copper Distilled Whiskies & Brandies,
PANTHER CREEK, N. C.
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May 8, 1890.

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J. D. McNEILL & CO.,
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are prepared to furnish you at cash prices with
CORN,
MEAL,
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SHIP STUFF,
FEED,
GRAIN, BRAN, &c.
Consult your interest and get their figures before buying.
May 8, 1890. tf

High Point Factory.
J. H. Jenkins & Co., of this large "plant," are making a depository with me of their many grades of tobacco, comprising Plug, Twist, Smoking Tobacco and Cigars. Their customers can be supplied at factory prices at any hour in the day.
R. M. GRELL, Agent
May 8, 1890—tf] for the Factory

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Z. W. WHITEHEAD, J. H. MYROVER, } Editors.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THURSDAY.....JUNE 19, 1890.

CONVENTIONS.

State, Raleigh, August 20.

DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL.

3rd District, Clinton, July 23rd.
4th District, Durham, July 24th.
5th District, Greensboro, July 9th.
6th District, Laurinburg, July 29th.

DEMOCRATIC JUDICIAL.

2nd District, Weldon, July 23rd.
3rd District, Rocky Mount, July 3rd.
4th District, Smithfield, July 1st.
5th District, Greensboro, July 8th.
6th District, Kinston, July 9th.
7th District, Laurinburg, July 16th.
9th District, Elkin, July 16th.

☞ The OBSERVER will publish the dates for holding the Congressional and Judicial Conventions as fast as the time and places are fixed.

POLITICS AND THE FARMERS' ALLIANCE.

With the dawn of each revolving day we are brought nearer and nearer the scenes of the approaching campaign, with its conventions—State, District and County—and face to face with the great economic and political issues of the day.

Since the Farmers' Alliance, as an organization, has entered the political arena, many and varied are the conjectures as to the course it will pursue and the lines it will draw.

For one, we have never stood in the slightest fear of any dire calamities to the country at the hands of the horney-handed sons of toil in North Carolina. To use a common expression, we know too well "what they are made of." Having spent a part of his life on the farm, and behind the plow-handles, at that, this writer is familiar with every disadvantage and hardship to which the farmers are daily subjected, as well as the advantages imputed to them, and we stand ready to do anything in our power to alleviate their condition. The condition of the farmers as a general rule, is such as to force them to pause a moment for reflection, and if there is any virtue in politics, take that part in the political affairs of the day for which, in the past, they have been conspicuously silent. Like bad money, the office hunters and demogogues are always on hand, and as a rssult a great hue and cry has gone up, that the Farmers' Alliance "will ask no quarters and take none;" that alliance men will be nominated and elected to fill nearly every office in the country from Congress down; and all such tomfoolery and nonsense as demagogues are never better pleased that when practicing and talking. That there are demagogues and men of that ilk in the Farmers' Alliance, as well as out of it, who would gladly subordinate the Democratic party, or any other party, for their own personal agrandisement and to serve their own selfish ends, we do not question for a moment. There are scores of just such fellows in the Democratic party to-day, as for that; always have been, and always will be, but mind you, they never have in the past and never will in the future, control the Democratic party, shape its policy or direct its destiny; and, moreover, if our acquaintance of many years with many of the leading farmers of the country counts for anything, no one need delude themselves with the idea that that class will ever direct the fortunes of the Farmers' Alliance or shape its policy to any marked degree.

Much depends upon the success of the farmers. It is therefore but natural that the people of every known profession and calling should stand ever ready to co-operate with them for the alleviation of their oppressed condition. But for argument's sake let us suppose that the farmers should attempt to run rough-shod over the Country—the Democratic party and all, and fill every office within the gift of the people with their own men, without regard to their "past political affiliations, or previous condition of servitude," what would be the inevitable result? Why the "handwriting on the wall is so plain that even he who runs may read" that the Alliance would not only invite, but would from sheer necessity—and self-preservation is the first laws of nature—force the opposition and antagonism of every other profession or calling known to mankind. This would end in a Republican victory and the farmers would still be out in the cold. We are unwilling, however, to believe that the Farmers' Alliance has entered politics for any other purpose than to give the long desired relief to the toiling masses. But there is one thing that should not be lost sight of, and that is, that there are good farmers and bad farmers, and that legislation such as would favor the former may prove inadequate to make this latter class happy and prosperous. It is just so in every other profession or calling. We have good lawyers and bad lawyers; good doctors and bad doctors; good mechanics and bad mechanics; good merchants and bad merchants. Its the case the world over and will remain so to the end of time.

In conclusion we desire to say a word about creating barriers between the various trades, professions and callings. There is apparently a disposition on the part of some to array one class against another—the laboring man—farmer and mechanic—for instance, against the professional man. All such is wrong. It is neither neighborly or christian-like and will never bear good results. Remember the golden rule here, "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you." No man ever arose to the prominence of a professional man without untiring labor, hard study and a faithful application of his talents to his chosen profession. Moreover, there is no patent-right on any profession and every body is at liberty to make a professional man of himself, and surely he should not be censured for cultivating his talents and rising to the eminence his talents, energy and perseverance merit.

In fact there are many things to be considered and from various standpoints. This entire Government is one grand piece of machinery, and each profession and calling represents a wheel that moves the world. How important it is then that the most perfect harmony and unison should prevail at all times and under all circumstances and between all classes. Is it not apparent to all how much better would be the result?

That the oppression of the agricultural classes all over the country is due in a great measure the high protective tariff, a war tax—wrought upon the country by the Rupublicans at the North, is an acdnowledged fact. It is not reasonable to suppose then that the farmers, as a class, will go to those for relief, whom they have asked for bread in the past, and been given a stone. On the contrary they have in the rank and file of the Democratic party, tried and true friends and sympathizers, in the success of which they owe their eternal allegiance and from the dominion of which they can only hope for an ultimate emancipation from the clutches of a Republican war tariff, under which they have been groaning so long and loud for relief.

We have spoken at considerable length on this matter, and plainly, for the reason that we feel a warm personal interest in the farmers and would depricate seriously any step backward they might take, for a step backward at this particular juncture would retard their progress many years. They should therefore move cautiously. Entertaining that personal interest in their welfare, we would be the last to counsel them to their detriment.

"THE JUDGESHIP."

We must confess to having read with no little interest the recent good-natured controversy between the Maxton *Union* and Jonesboro *Leader* over the Judgeship. The *Leader*, which has so ably championed the cause of Capt. McIver, put a good deal of stress on the fact that Judge McRae had held the position for about eight years, and that a renomination virtually meant a life tenure of office, &c. To this Brother McRae makes a "clincher," by replying as follows, which is so good that we cannot refrain from copying, and we do it without intending any disparagement to the many virtues of Capt. McIver:

"The Jonesboro *Leader* came out last week and commented at length on what we had said, and apparently convinced itself that its position is right. Well, if we lived in Jonesboro, or Capt. McIver's county, we too, might be for him; but, as it is otherwise, and we occupy neutral ground geographically, we still cling to our first proposition that Judge McRae ought to succeed himself. And in this we are like Capt. McIver's friends were four years ago when he ran for a third term. He had served eight years, and was willing to serve again. If it is wrong now to serve a people faithfully and honestly for a second term, it was more heinous to desire a third term four years ago. It requires a peculiar fitness for the office of Judge, and a service of eight years has given it to Judge McRae; and to-day he ranks as among the best on the Superior Court bench. An opportunity to rotate is a great safeguard to our form of government, but we should take care and not rotate every time we have a chance.

As we said before, we have not a word to utter against Capt. McIver, as he is a warm personal friend of ours, and we only regret that we can't vote for both of the gentlemen.'

Of course the old proverb that "there is no harm in a safe thing," is well enough for the friends of Judge McRae to accept all over the district, and they should see to it that his interest is carefully looked after. This done, they have no reason to fear the result. But this much is necessary in all the counties forming this Judicial district.

THE PRIMARIES.

By order of the Cumberland County Democratic Executive Committee in session here last Monday, the voters of Cumberland are requested to assemble at their usual voting places in the various townships throughout the county on next Thursday, June 26th, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the County Convention here on the 28th inst., which Convention nominates and elects delegates to the State, Judicial and Congressional Conventions to be held this year. We therefore urge upon the people, one and all, to attend these primaries and there assert their individual rights, as well as express their preference for the various candidates in the field.

Starting right is half the battle, and every Democrat in the county should by all means attend the primaries, when and where, should such an effort be made, all political chicanery may be nipped in the bud. Moreover, Cumberland has two candidates in the field, Col. W. J. Green and Judge Jas. C. MacRae, the former for Congress, and the latter for renomination to a seat on the Superior Court Bench, whose interests should be zealously guarded and faithfully watched.

It therefore behooves the people of Cumberland to leave no wheels unturned to secure the nomination of these two worthy, able and competent gentleman. They have both been weighed in the balances and not found wanting, and deserve well at the hands of the people whom they have served faithfully and impartially at all times.

"A VOICE FROM WITHIN."

THE old adage of a "drowning man grabing at a straw" is most strikingly illustrated in the diabolical efforts of the partizan Republicans in Congress to Federalize elections throughout the county for no other purpose than to compel the return, by Federal power of a Republican majority in the next Congress. The reluctance with which the people of the Congressional districts all over the country will submit to a general Republican system of "doing our own districting, counting and returning of votes" has never been given that farsighted consideration to which the gravity of the situation entitles it. There is such a thing as States Rights in this country, and the Republicans may not find it out soon enough, but they will surely wake up to a realization of the futility of their partisan efforts to override the constitution. As "a sentinel on the outer walls," we tell them plainly, fairly and squarely, that any encroachment upon our States Rights will be repudiated. Our people are law-abiding, conservative and liberty-loving, and desire above everything else to be and remain "at peace with all the world," but as the fellow said when he failed to invite his father to his wedding, "the line must be drawn some where." We have had enough Federal interference with our local and State affairs in the *modus operandi* of the administration of the iniquitous and odious internal revenue laws, whereby men are empowered with the authority to go armed to their teeth and enter and ransack the domicil of an humble and inoffensive citizen, who, if in return, should offer any resistance whatever, is shot down in his tracks, as has been the case in more instances than one, right here in North Carolina, and almost under the shadow of the dome of the capitol of the State.

It is a notorious fact that the South was never in a more flourishing condition, and if this is an arrangement concocted by those whose envy has, on this account, been aroused, then such chicanery should be thwarted in its infancy and its promulgators should be speedily consigned to the shades of political oblivion—a place where they don't shovel snow.

A Young Lady Tells What Kind of Men to Put In Office.

No man was ever known to have been defeated who had the influence of the ladies on his side. Judging the future, then, by the past, Col. Wharton J. Green, of Cumberland, has the inside track over all his competitors at the approaching convention at Clinton next month, as the following article, found in a late number of the *Progressive Farmer*, speaks for itself:

MR. EDITOR:—Just give me a little space somewhere if its on the eighth page, for I want you to "lend me your ears" a few moments. You say stop unless I have something worth telling? Well, I have; several things, if you please to hear them—if not, kindly "jam your fists in your ears." One thing to begin with: I wish to express my very critical opinion of your, or more properly, *our* paper, and I must say for its increasing influence, its general excellence, its continued improvement and "spicy editorials," it far exceeds our most sanguine expectations. Indeed we can but remit there is some motive power at the head of all this grand improvement of the *best* paper in the State. Oh yes, I know very well what I am saying; don't interrupt me please. Really yes, its on a boom—a big boom. I tell you it *must* be true. This new associate editor must be the motive power if his head is "read" (well *red*, I mean.)

Now there is something else I wanted very much to say, as the preacher said, which is simply this: A great many are proposing that we nominate our patriotic friend, Hon. W. J. Green, for the next Congress. This meets my hearty approval. Brother Alliance men, here is where I want your special attention. With such men as Col Green and Elias Carr in Congress we may well expect better times. We will see that our interests are heeded, our wants attended to. There never was a nobler specimen of "chivalric man" or a better statesman than Col. Green. With his powerful intellect and commanding ways he is fitted for any office of honor; being one of the staunchest Alliance men, it is well worth your while to consider this matter. Brothers, give him your support. With such men as Cleveland, Polk, Green and Carr and others of like note at the helm, we can bid defiance to monopolies, trusts and combines and feel our crushed wings begin to expand until we realize that we are once more a free nation with equal rights. What are we now but slaves of toil and monopolies that rule with a golden sceptre to their own increasing wealth and our increasing poverty?

Again let me feebly ask the brethren to nominate men who *cannot be bought* by these ruling kings of trusts to support their infamous bills. Then and not till then may we expect better times. I know I but voice the sentiments of our entire commonwealth. Hurriedly yours,

EVANGELINE USHER.

Dunn's Weekly Review of the Trade for the Past Week—Failures, &c.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Speculation has been neither large in volume or enthusiastic in tone during the past week, but the legitimate business of the country continues unprecedented in volume for this season and highly encouraging in prospect.

Although the The Treasury has taken in $2,900,000 more money than it has disbursed, and foreign exchange apparently because of sales of American securities and the slackening of reports, has advanced about 1c. during the week, the current rate for money on call has declined from 5 to 4½ per cent.

Interior cities report rather more demand for money. Crop prospects begin to rule the market at this season and those are distinctively improving. The government report was more favorable than was expected, and in spite of extravagantly low estimates put forth by speculative statisticians. Wheat has declined 1⅛c, oats 1c, and corn ⅛c.

The cotton prospects have much improved with the favoring weather and the most reliable authorities now reckon the condition as satisfactory, with reported increase of 2.67 per cent. in acreage. The price has again declined ⅛c for export.

A better demand for refined sugar is alleged as the reason for the advance of ⅛c in price, but other reports indicate that dealers are not buying freely at the high prices.

The delay of the Senate Finance Committee in acting upon the sugar duties suggests some uncertainty, but in the main the House tariff bill has been accepted by the committee, and it is thought likely to be passed without great changes.

The latest advices about the silver legislation suggest the possibility that the two Houses may disagree, the disposition to free coinage being strong in the Senate.

The business failures during the last week number for the United States 195, and for Canada 17; for the corresponding week of last year: United States 226, Canada 24.

The South Carolina Lynchers Acquitted.

COLUMBIA, S. C., June 14.—At Lexington court W. C. Caughman and Pearce G. Taylor, indicted as the lynchers of Willie Leapheart, were acquitted. The defense put up no witness. The solicitor pleaded that this was intended to force the jury to stultify themselves, and that if the prisoners were sworn they would not deny being implicated in the lynching. The verdict seems to be approved by the people of Lexington. Many ladies were present during the trial and congratulated Caughman on his release. Rose Cannon, the girl whom Willie Leapheart was convicted of having raped, was also in court.

CATARRH CURED, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

A Gala Day at Lumberbridge.

Last Thursday, July 12th, will doubtless go down to posterity as the brightest page in the history of Lumberbridge, the occasion being the annual commencement of Prof. J. A. Monroe's High School at that delightful little place. The exercises were opened in the forenoon with the annual sermon by the Rev. Dr. Miller, of Charlotte, which was pronounced by all present as one of the ablest efforts of the kind ever heard in the good old county of Robeson. Dr. Miller is a native Scotchman and often grew eloquent in his praise of the heroism and virtues of the Scotch-Irish in this country, while his Biblical illustrations were simply grand and held his audience spell-bound for more than an hour. At the conclusion of his sermon, Rev. Mr. McQueen lead in a fervent prayer, after which the immense throng was adjourned for dinner. The literary address in the afternoon by Henry Blount of the Wilson *Mirror*, was the next in order of the exercises. Mr. Blount looked his very best and was in one of his happiest moods and delighted the people of Robeson with one of the most beautiful, ornate and eloquent addresses ever listened to by anyone. It was indeed the product of a fertile brain, scholarly, brilliant, and ever and anon glittering with pearls of thought and clothed in language of the richest rhetoric. The address was enthusiastically received by several hundred hearers and the witticisms of this poetical genius, orator and actor, were cheered to the echo. At night an interesting and entertaining programe, consisting of dialogues, recitations, etc., was carried out with great success and satisfaction to all, which gave additional evidence of the pains-taking-care of Prof. Monroe as a teacher and instructor. The occasion reflected great credit upon all connected with it, and all-in-all, was a day long to be remembered by Lumberbridge, Robeson county and those who were so fortunate as to be present. It was the writer's pleasure to share with others the genuine hospitality of the Rev. Mr. McLeod, where we fared samptuously.

Negroes Take to the Woods.

WILSON, N. C., June 16.—There are many amusing incidents in connection with census enumeration, but the strangest occurrence is in Edgecombe county. When the enumerator in Battleboro township made his appearance the negroes took to the woods. The enumerator endeavored to induce them to stop, but to no purpose, and he was unable to get many of them on his list.

Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market.

Corrected by A. E. Rankin & Co.

Good Middling	11½
Middling	11
Strict Low Middling	10½
Turpentine, $1.10 to $2.60 per barrel	
NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 33½ cents.	
Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 85 to 90 for common.	

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For the past 25 years I have carefully studied the wants of the Farmer, the Merchant, the Mechanic and the laboring population, in endeavoring to place before them Shoes which I can fully warrant—and after mature deliberation and experiments have adopted three brands suitable for any wear.

For the Farmer,

who certainly deserves first attention, I have secured for ladies, gentlemen and children a shoe that I take pleasure in showing. These are made in Georgia out of Georgia leather, tanned with red oak bark, native to the State, carefully and honestly made and by far the most superior shoe I or any one else has ever shown in this section. They are made for

Heavy Work, Wear and Comfort,

and combine all of these qualities. I desire to place at least one pair of them in every household where the OBSERVER is read, and

Mark My Word,

if you buy one pair, and test them, you will never be satisfied with any other Shoe.

For the Mechanic

and laboring class generally, men and women who labor faithfully day after day, and should be accorded every advantage possible in judiciously placing their earnings, we show the Bay State Shoe. This Shoe has a national reputation. It has been before the public for so long a period as to become a standard. Ask for a Bay State Shoe and you will get your money's worth.

They are Honestly Made,

FOR THE MERCHANT

we show the old reliable brand of Ziegler Bros. It is not necessary to tell you about the merits of this shoe. Their reputation is established. There are other Zeiglers who make shoes—but remember that

ZIEGLER BROS.

are the old original makers, and also remember that I am the only person in Fayetteville who can buy them from the manufacturers.

WELL,

in conclusion, I beg to say to my friends, my patrons and the public that I have

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of all other brands of shoes, excepting those mentioned above.

WHY?

Simply because the goods I offer you will give satisfaction—and the other brands I handled I am aware did not.

Owing to the Quantity

of these goods I handle, I have the agency for the sale of

The Georgia Shoe

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The Bay State Shoe,

Ziegler Bros. Shoe,

and am positively the only merchant you can obtain these goods from in Fayetteville.

I carry in stock more shoes, and sell during a season

MORE SHOES

than all of the houses in Fayetteville combined.

FRANK THORNTON.

June 12, 1890.

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Handsome Residence, 6 Rooms, all out-houses, with vineyard, best water and 5 acres of good land. Also 7 beautiful building lots adjoining, on high elevation. City property advancing. Now is your time for a home or speculation. Also other desirable property for sale. For further particulars call on or address

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April 17, 1890. 58 Market Square, City

STANDARD TEST FOR EYESIGHT.

These Test Types for determining the Acuteness of Vision were selected by

GEORGE COWELL, F.R.C.S.,

Surgeon to the Westminster and Royal Westminster Ophthalmic Hospitals, etc., etc.

Persons desiring to know whether THEY SHOULD OR SHOULD NOT wear glasses, or whether their glasses suit their eyes, CAN FIND OUT FOR THEMSELVES by a careful use of the following tests.

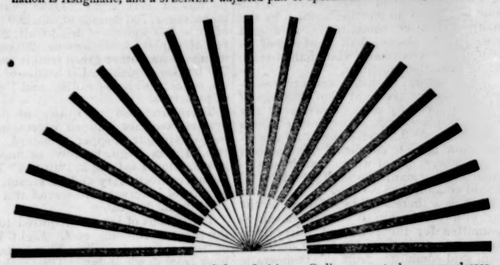
STANDARD TEST FOR FAR SIGHT.

Spell the following letters when placed in a good light, and at a distance of 16 feet from the eye, each eye to be tried separately:

s n u o a v r e

STANDARD TEST FOR ASTIGMATISM.

At a distance of 12 to 16 feet, ALL the lines of the fan should appear equally black. If some are more vividly black than others, or if some are rather hazy, the eye under examination is Astigmatic, and a SPECIALLY adjusted pair of spectacles is absolutely necessary.



Astigmatism is a very common defect of vision. Ordinary spectacles or eyeglasses, bought in a haphazard way (without undergoing a thorough examination), are *worse than useless*, and tend only to aggravate the defect. By our method of testing, the slightest defect of vision is at once detected, and by specially prepared glasses the most difficult cases are successfully treated. When headache and neuralgia proceed (as it often does) from a latent defect of vision, our method of testing will at once discover it, and by properly adjusted and specially prepared glasses will give immediate relief.

The cut below shows how the fan appears to an eye Astigmatic to *Vertical Lines.*

STANDARD TEST FOR NEAR SIGHT.

(Not applicable to persons under 20 years of age.)

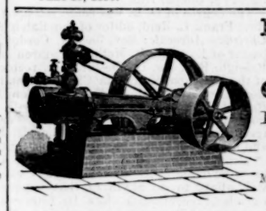
Read the following paragraph when placed in a good light, at a distance of 12 inches from the eye, each eye to be tried separately:

The eye is one of the most delicate and wonderful organs of the human system. Great care should be taken not only to preserve the sight, but to endeavor to regain what has been already lost by overwork, improper glasses, &c., &c. The only way to accomplish this is to wear suitable glasses, properly fitted to the eyes. In every case where the glasses are not correctly fitted, the eyes are more or less injured. We make a special study of Eyesight Testing in all its branches, and can assure a perfect correction wherever a defect of vision exists.

Cut this out, and test your eyes. I will be in Fayetteville on or about Monday, June 16th. Will examine all eyes free. I do my work upon a guarantee of fit. I use only first-class lenses. Parties wishing work in my line are requested to call early; some eyes are difficult to fit and require often several days. Will take no case that I will not have enough time to fit perfectly before leaving. I am known to the medical profession of Fayetteville.

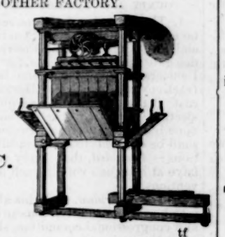
H. O. HYATT, M. D.,
OPTHALMIC OPTICIAN.

June 10, 1890.



Engines, Boilers, Saw Mills, Cotton Presses, Pulleys, Shafting and General Machinery.

MORE COTTON PRESSES IN USE THAN ANY OTHER FACTORY.



LIDDELL COMPANY,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

June 12, 1890. tf

JOHN W. SCOTT, SR., President. J. B. MAKEPEACE, Sec'y and Treas'r.

SANFORD SASH AND BLIND COMPANY,
—MANUFACTURERS OF—
DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MOULDING, BRACKETS,
and Dealers in all Kinds of Pine Lumber,
SANFORD, N. C.

Correspondence solicited and orders promptly filled.

May 1, 1890. tf

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.

NORTH CAROLINA, } In Office
CUMBERLAND COUNTY. } Clerk Superior Court.

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of "The Little Creek Lumber Company;" that the names of the incorporators are George Young, Osmon Parker, Wilbur F. Parker, Charles B. Young and Aiden Bowles and such others as they may associate with them; that the principal place of business shall be in Needmore, Cumberland County, N. C., and its general purpose and business is the manufacture and dressing of lumber out of pine timber and all other kinds of woods; that the duration of the corporation shall be thirty years; the capital stock is $20,000, divided into 200 shares of the par value of $100 each.

CHAS. G. CAIN,
Clerk of the Superior Court
of Cumberland County, N. C.

May 15, 1890. 6w

Notice of Sale.

BY virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, made at May Term, 1890 thereof, in the case of A. H. Slocumb against Harrison Williams and wife Annie, which said decree is on file as a record in the Clerk's office of said Court, the undersigned, Commissioner appointed for that purpose, will, on Saturday, the 5th day of July, 1890, at the hour of 12 M., at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., offer at public sale the following real estate: First tract situated in the town of Fayetteville, N. C., on the west side of Hillsboro street, beginning at a stone, Brown's corner, on the west side of Hillsboro street, running thence N. 88 West 122 6-12 to George McNeill's line, thence as it S. 20 E. 54, thence S. 88 East to a stone 138 feet on Hillsboro street, thence as said street N. 2 East to the beginning.

Second Tract beginning at the S. E. corner of the James lot (or the lot on which said Harrison Williams now resides) and west side of Hillsboro street in said town of Fayetteville, N. C., and runs thence N. 88 W. 138 feet with line to her S. W. corner on McNeill's line, thence with McNeill's line S. 20 W. 74 feet, thence S. 88½, 157½ feet to Hillsboro street, thence with said street N. 2 E. 70 feet to the beginning, being the southern part of the lot formerly owned by Joshua Carmon, Jr.

Terms of sale: Cash.

THOMAS H. SUTTON,
May 30, 1890—ts] Commissioner.

NOTICE.

Dr. H. O. Hyatt will arrive in Fayetteville during the next ten or fifteen days, prepared to fit all eyes with glasses that can be fitted. Dr. Hyatt guarantees the quality of his lenses, and their proper adaptation to the eye, and stands prepared at all times to refund his pay upon dissatisfaction with either his lenses or the fit. Dr. Hyatt's presence in the city will afford all parties with defective vision an opportunity of having the eye examined free. He will take charge of all cases that can be remedied by properly fitting glasses, and refer the others to such doctors as can cure them. Dr Hyatt is acquainted with the majority of the leading medical men in the State, and his advice in this respect will be of great benefit to those consulting him.

June 5, 1890.

WILMINGTON ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. C. STEVENSON & TAYLOR,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
Wholesale Dealers in Fancy and Staple Groceries. Correspondence solicited. Samples on application.
march 20. 1y

D. L. GORE,
NOS. 120, 122 AND 124 NORTH WATER STREET,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Wholesalesale Grocer and Commission Merchant. Bottom prices to the trade. Consignments of Naval Stores, Cotton, Eggs, Chickens and other produce solicited. march 20—1y

JOHN J. HEDRICK,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—
Dealer in Fancy and Staple Dry Goods and Gents' Furnishing Goods. march 20—1y

WORTH & WORTH,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
Importers of Genuine Cuba Molasses.
Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Salt, Lime, Cement and Farm Supplies.
Offer at all times a complete stock of Groceries, Provisions and Staple Supplies of every description, of the Best Quality and at the Lowest Prices. All goods shipped and fully guaranteed as to quality and price. March 13, 1890—tf

R. W. HICKS,
WHOLESALE GROCER,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Bacon, Lard, Flour, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Case Goods, Canned Goods, Cakes, Crackers, Tobacco, Snuff, Segars, Cheroots, Nails, Hoop Iron, Glue, Bunge, Hay, Corn, Oats, Meal, Grits, Baking Powders, Butter, Cheese, Candy, Starch, Salt, Hams, Vinegar, Shot, Powder, Caps, Buckets, Brooms, Twine, Peanuts, Nutmegs, Spices, Ladies' Favorite Flour. March 13, 1890—1y

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Importers and Jobbers.
Our Hardware Department comprises an immense stock of General Hardware, including Guns and Cutlery of our own importation. Also a full line of
Patent Bottom Tinware.
Our Crockery Department comprises a large assortment of Glassware, Lamps, &c. Also the best make of English Earthenware, both plain white and decorated goods of our own direct importation. Merchants cannot do better anywhere in this country than by buying of us, as we defy competition and guarantee prices and goods. Therefore we ask for your patronage.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.
March 13, 1890. 1y

ADVERTISEMENTS. | ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW GOODS
—AT—
THE RACKET STORE

JUST RECEIVED ANOTHER LARGE LOT OF

Men's, Boys' and Children's Straw Hats,

bought from foreclosure sale in Washington. Prices average about 50c. on the dollar.
Ladies' and Children's Oxford Ties and Slippers at all prices.
Our assortment of Ladies' and Men's Shoes cannot be equalled in prices or quality.
White Goods of all kinds.
Lawns, Challies, Satteens, Chambreys, Ginghams and all other kinds of Summer Dress Goods.
Ladies' Ribbed Summer Vests 12½c. up.
Men's Summer Underwear at all prices.
Trunks and Valises; Ladies' and Men's Purses and Pocket Books.
Our stock of Hardware and Tinware is now larger than ever and prices lower than ever.
Kerr's Spool Cotton Superior to either Coats', Clark's or any other 4c. spool, 4 spools for 15c. in white, black or colors.
The celebrated Rouss Mills Spool Cotton, 200 yards on spool, only 2c.
Pins 1c. paper; best Brass Pins 4c.; Needles—best steel, 2c. paper; 3 for 5c.
Call at the Racket Store for bargains in all lines.

June 12, 1890.

Great Attractions!

THE C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE

has surpassed itself this season in the beautiful Lines of Goods filling its shelves, tables and counters in every description of

Men's, Youths' and Boys' Wear.

OUR READY-MADE CLOTHING

runs through all the sizes, caters to all tastes, and is offered at all prices, from

PLAIN, DURABLE MAKES,

To the Most Elegant and Artistic Suits, Superb in Style and Unapproachable in Quality.

NO ONE NEED

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UNSURPASSED BARGAINS

—IN THE—

HIGHEST GRADE

of stuffs and the most fashionable patterns in color and texture.

ESPECIALLY "NOBBY"

—AND PLEASING ARE OUR—

Spring Offerings for Boys and Youths.

We have never had anything in stock better calculated to please, and we invite inspection from mothers and fathers with a boy to shoe or clothe. Our

GENTS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT

is complete, from the smallest article of hosiery to the handsomest outfit of Light Spring and Summer Underwear.

Of course everybody KNOWS we stand first in

NOVELTIES IN HATS.

Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, &c., &c.,

we ALWAYS keep. You will regret it if you miss the place:

THE C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE,
GEO. ROSENTHAL.

April 17, 1890.

GO TO

McDUFFIE'S DRUG STORE

FOR ICE COLD DRINKS.

HE IS USING EVERY EFFORT TO DISPENSE THE NICEST DRINKS OF THE SEASON.

Soda Water, any flavor; Milk Shakes, Pine Apple, Lemon and Orange Sherberts; Moxie, Malto, Ginger-Ale, Limeades and many others.

Ice Cream Soda every day.

May 29, 1890. W. C. McDUFFIE, Jr.

DOLLARS!

Our prices will advertise us. We only ask for a trial. All Groceries delivered at your door free of extra charge. We keep a complete stock of

HEAVY AND FANCY GROCERIES,

Canned Goods, &c.

We sell for CASH; sell at ONE PRICE. You can get goods just as cheap by ordering as you would by calling in person. Our expenses are at the minimum, and our prices we guarantee to please. To work up a trade we propose to make our prices advertise us You will get some rare bargains by calling in the next thirty days. Look out for us. We are accommodating, and will do all we can to get your trade.

April 3, 1890—tf] **A. McIVER & SONS.**

To my Friends and Customers.

THE LARGEST, HANDSOMEST AND CHEAPEST STOCK OF

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Notions in the Market.

Just returned from the North with the best and cheapest stock of Goods ever exhibited to the public.

Please call at once and secure bargains at

GEO. BRANDT'S,
One Door West of People's National Bank.

Fayetteville, N. C., May 1, 1890. 3m

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A CARD.
E. A. POE—C. O. D.
THE WATER OF LIFE.
J. R. WILLIAMS—Oxford.
JOHN D. WILLIAMS—Notice.
GEORGE ALLEN—$10 Stock for $5.
CHAS. G. CAIN—Special Proceeding.
ROSE & LEAK—Holland Window Shades, &c.
JAS. R. CARTER—Administrator's Sale of Land.
JAMES A. HODGES—To the Citizens of Fayetteville.
E. J. FULLER—Southwestern Building and Loan Association.
HENRY L. COOK—Democratic Township and County Conventions.

Religious Service.

Rev. Thomas Atkinson will hold service at St. Thomas' Chapel Sunday next at 11 o'clock. The Rev. J. C. Huske will preach at St. John's Episcopal Church at the same hour.

Excursion Rates.

The Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R. has advertised special excursion rates over their lines to all the leading summer resorts in North Carolina and Virginia this season.

Grand Picnic at Hope Mills.

Preparations are being made for a grand 4th of July picnic and general celebration at Hope Mills next month. Mr. John G. Shaw of this place and others will make speeches. Firk works at night.

Dr. Hodges to the Citizens of Fayetteville.

We urge upon the citizens of Fayetteville to give due notice to Dr. Hodges request in another column to look closely after the sanitary condition of their premises. The law will be carried out to a letter in this matter, and it should be.

Thunder Storm.

A terrific thunder storm passed over the vicinity of McNatt's last Sunday evening, accompanied by the most vivid lightnings. A gentleman from this city stood on the platform of the depot there Monday and counted sixteen trees struck by lightning.

Trustees' Meeting of the Fayetteville Graded School.

Mr. Walter Watson, the President, requests us to announce that there will be a meeting of the Trustees of the Fayetteville Graded School at the Market House on Tuesday next—June 26th, at 5 o'clock P. M. A full attendance is urgently requested.

A Narrow Escape.

On his return home Monday from the city, Capt. J. A. McPherson's horse was knocked down by lightning, while ascending Haymount Hill. The shock brought a few loud whickers from the animal when it arose and went quietly along, showing no signs of serious harm.

Going at it Right.

Mr. Walter Watson, of this city, who never does anything by halves, has purchased a lot at Carolina Beach and will erect thereon a handsome cottage, where he and family will spend their summers in the future. Mr. Watson could not have made a better selection, as Carolina Beach is rapidly becoming one of the most popular summer resorts on the Atlantic coast.

The Tennis Club.

The OBSERVER is glad to see the young people of Fayetteville taking such a lively interest in innocent home amusements. At a meeting of the Cool Spring Tennis Club held Tuesday afternoon, the following were elected as officers for the ensuing year: Ed. R. McKethan, President; C. A. Rankin, Vice-President; J. A. Pemberton, Secretary and Treasurer; G. W. Wightman, E. G. Styron and McKee Barclay, Executive Committee.

Change of Schedule on C. F. & Y. V. R. R.

A slight change in the schedule of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R'y took place last Monday, by which the train leaves Wilmington at 10 o'clock A. M., instead of 9:40, as heretofore, arriving in Fayetteville at the same hour—1:45, Mt. Airy, 10:20. The train from Mt. Airy arrives here at 1:45 instead of 2:10 as heretofore, leaving for Wilmington at 2:10, arriving there at 5:40 instead of 6:40 as heretofore.

No change in the schedule on the Bennettsville Division.

Forward March.

There is possibly more building going on in Fayetteville this season than in many years past. An OBSERVER reporter dropped in the office of Mr. Klutz, the architect, this week and was shown the plans, drawings, &c., of many new and modern dwellings for parties here and elsewhere. The list runs about thus:

R. M. Nimocks, dwelling.
Maj. W. S. Cook, "
E. H. Jennings, "
Geo. Rosenthal, "
I. W. Clark, "
B. E. Sedberry, "
D. W. C. McDuffie, "
J. P. Thomson, "
Maj. A. A. McKethan, residence remodeled.
Presbyterian Sunday school building.
Thos Whitted, residence remodeled.

Mr. Klutz also showed us plans of residence for Mr. A. B. Pearsall, Red Springs; Hotel at Laurinburg; four dwellings for parties at Americus, Ga., as well as many other drawings for buildings here.

The Cedar Creek Baptist S. S. Association

will convene to morrow (Friday) morning, in the first annual session, with the First Baptist Church here. The following programme will be observed:

FRIDAY.

11 A. M., Introductory Sermon, Rev. Wm. Brunt.

AFTERNOON.

2:30 Temporary Organization.
Reading Letters and Enrollment of Delegates.
Welcome—Sup't J. T. Winburn.
Response—Rev. J. D. Clark.
Topic. "Sunday School Associations—their purposes, scope and methods."
N. B. Broughton.
Committees.

EVENING.

8:00 Service of Song and Prayer.
8:30 "The Growth of the Sunday School Idea and Development of its Methods."
T. H. Pritchard, D. D.

SATURDAY—MORNING.

9:00 Devotional Exercises.
Topic. "Our Literature and Helps."
(a) "Advantages of a uniform series in our schools. The best series for our use."
T. H. Pritchard, D. D.
(b) "Has the Catechism no place in our schools? Who should study it?"
E. J. Edwards.
(c) "Sunday School Libraries." W. B. Harrell.
Topic. "Union Schools." C. T. Bailey, D.D.

AFTERNOON.

2:30 Devotional Exercises.
Topic. "Our Finances."
(a) "Why teach children to give?" J. G. Fisher.
(b) "Should contributions be regular and systematic, and to what Objects?"
L. Bryan.
(c) "How to raise school funds." D. S. Bullard.
Topic. "Bible Classes." Wm. Brunt.
Topic "Teachers' Meetings." A. R. Pittman.

SUNDAY—MORNING.

9:15 The School in Session.
W. B. Harrell, Chorister. N. B. Broughton, Sup't.
10:15 The Infant School. A. H. Watson, Sup't.
11:00 Sermon. C. T. Bailey, D. D.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

3:30 Mass Meeting.
"Relations of the School and Church." E. D. Johnson.
"Music in the School—its character, place and power." W. B. Harrell.
Topic. "Teaching."
(a) "How to Teach." N. B. Broughton.
(b) "What to Teach." E. J. Edwards.
Topic. "Teachers."
(a) "Who are the Teachers." W. B. Malloy.
(b) "Why are they Teachers." C. Beard.
Topic. "The Pastor and the School." W. B. Oliver.
Two minute talks on "How this meeting has affected and impressed me."
8:30 Sermon. Rev. W. B. Harrell.
Everybody invited to attend, especially those interested in Sunday school work.

Meeting of the Cumberland County Democratic Executive Committee.

Pursuant to announcement the Democratic Executive Committee of Cumberland County met in this city on Monday, the 16th. The first order of business was the election of a permanent Chairman and Secretary. On motion, Mr. H. L. Cook was chosen for the former place and Z. W. Whitehead for the latter.

It was then moved and seconded that the Township Conventions be called to meet at 10 o'clock Thursday, June 26th, at the usual voting places in the various townships throughout the county, and that the County Convention meet at the Market House in Fayetteville on the following Saturday at 12 o'clock M., June 28th to elect delegates to the State, Congressional and Judicial Conventions.

The following is the vote of each township, on the basis of the vote for Fowle in 1888, showing the number of votes cast in the last election, and the number each township is entitled to cast in the State, Congressional, Judicial and County Conventions:

Cross Creek—Cast 633 Democratic votes and is entitled to 4 votes in the State, 13 in the Judicial, 13 in the Congressional and 25 in the County Conventions.

Seventy-first—461, is entitled to 3 votes in the State, 9 in the Judicial, 9 in the Congressional and 18 in the County.

Carver's Creek—147; 1 vote in the State Convention, 3 in the Judicial, 3 in the Congressional and 6 in the County.

Gray's Creek—147; 1 vote in the State Convention, 3 in the Judicial, 3 in the Congressional and 6 in the County.

Rockfish—190; 1 vote in the State Convention, 4 in the Judicial, 4 in the Congressional and 6 in the County.

Cedar Creek—308; 2 votes in the State Convention, 6 in the Judicial, 6 in the Congressional and 12 in the County.

Beaver Dam—104; 1 vote in the State Convention, 2 in the Judicial, 2 in the Congressional and 4 in the County.

Flea Hill—193; 1 vote in the State Convention, 4 in Judicial, 4 in Congressional and 8 in the County.

Black River—179; 1 vote in State Convention, 4 in Judicial, 4 in Congressional, 7 in the County.

Little River—63; 1 vote in the State Convention, 1 in Judicial, 1 in Congressional and 2 in the County.

Qewhiffle—157; 1 vote in the State Convention, 3 in Judicial, 3 in Congressional and 6 in County.

Death of Mrs. Sykes.

At the residence of Mr. Geo. W. Lawrence, on Sunday morning, at 6:30 o'clock, Mrs. Isabella Sykes died after a long sickness. For three years or more confined to her room, she bore her sufferings with the patience and resignation of a true and devoted christian. An humble follower of Jesus with an unwavering faith in His power to save, she rests with the saints above. She was in the 87th year of her age, and was the daughter of the late Edmund Cook, and the last of a long line of a family of sisters and brothers, highly respected in this section.

The funeral services were held from the Presbyterian church Monday morning at 10 o'clock A. M.

Life of H. W. Grady.

Mr. F. M. Royall, a native of Sampson county, but more recently a student of Wake Forest College, is in the city for the purpose of selling the life of Henry W. Grady, his speeches, writings, &c. It is needless for us to attempt to add anything to the world-wide fame of this distinguished son of the South, whose name is a household word all over our land and we would be glad to see a copy of this book in every southern home. Mr. Royall is also taking subscriptions to that very able paper, the *Biblical Recorder*, of Raleigh, N. C.

Fruit Fair at Red Springs.

The good people of Red Springs met a few days ago and resolved to hold a Fruit and Vegetable Fair at that place in August in connection with the Farmers' Annual dinner. Committees were appointed for various purposes and when the Scotch Highlanders, of Robeson, enter upon such task, with their characteristic determination to succeed, we hazzard nothing in saying the event will be crowned with a brilliant success. Fayetteville and Cumberland will be on hand "five hundred strong."

"The Lumber River Industrial and Live Stock Association" is the name of the Association, with the following officers:

A. T. McCallum, President.
R. T. Covington, Secretary.
Wm. McQueen, Treasurer.
Vice-Presidents—Capt. W. H. McLaurin, Laurinburg; Hon. Jno. T. LeGrand, Rockingham; A. J. McLeod, Rowland; Maj. W. F. Campbell, Col. W. J. Green, Fayetteville; W. W. McDiarmid, Esq., Lumberton; J. C. McCaskill, Esq., Maxton; Col. M. McRae, Raemont; Lucius McRae, Wakulla; Col. P. McEachern, Millprong; Dr. J. C. McKinzie, Tatum, S. C.; Z. T. Drake, Esq., Bennettsville, S. C.

The following are the Executive Committee—Hon. T. M. Watson, Purcepolis; J. P. Smith, Red Springs; Capt. W. H. McLaurin, Laurinburg; Neill McNeill, Fontcol; J. W. McLauchlin, Raeford; Wm. Buie, Hope Mills. The President, Secretary and Treasurer were added to the Committee.

Finance Committee, Robeson County—Col. E. F. McRae, A. L. Shaw, B. W. Townsend, J. C. D. McNatt, A. McQueen, D. N. Oliver, S. R. Townsend, J. H. McEachern, T. McBryde, Charles McRae, A. L. Bullock, J. L. McMillan, W. H. McCallum, Sheriff H. McEachern, Hector McNeill, Capt. O. H. Blocker, J. L. McLean, J. S. Oliver, H. H. Hodgin, Lock Shaw.

Cumberland—Z. W. Whitehead, Col. M. D. Bethune, Maj. Jonathan Evans.

Richmond—J. L. Cooley, Capt. S. M. Thomas, Wm. Johnson.

Building Committee—W. McQueen, J. A. McKay, R. T. Covington, Red Springs.

Committee on Addresses—Prof. Hamilton McMillan, J. P. Smith, Maj. J. R. McLean, Red Springs.

Committee on Transportation—R. T. Covington, J. S. Jones, Peter McQueen, Red Springs.

The Fair to be held at Red Springs, N. C., the third week in August of each year, this being the time of the Annual Picnic. Opening on Friday 10 A. M., and closing in the afternoon of the following day.

Each Counties' Strength in the Approaching Conventions.

For the benefit of our readers throughout the Sixth and Seventh Judicial and the Third and Sixth Congressional Districts, we give below the strength of each county in the approaching Conventions:

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Bladen	31
Cumberland	52
Duplin	44
Harnett	29
Moore	39
Onslow	24
Pender	14
Sampson	47
Wayne	56

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Anson	45
Brunswick	20
Cabarrus	33
Columbus	41
Mecklenburg	83
New Hanover	38
Richmond	34
Robeson	56
Stanly	20
Union	41
Total	411

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Carteret	20
Duplin	44
Jones	14
Lenoir	32
New Hanover	38
Onslow	24
Pender	14
Sampson	47

SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Anson	45
Brunswick	20
Bladen	31
Columbus	41
Cumberland	52
Moore	39
Richmond	34
Robeson	56
Total	318

Local Board.

A branch of the United Banking & Building Company, of Richmond, Virginia, was organized here last Friday with the following officers: President, B. R. Huske; Secretary and Treasurer, Jno. M. Rose. Directors—B. R. Huske, Jno. M. Rose, J. D. McNeill, A. D. Black, and John R. McNeill. Local Agent, H. I. McDuffie. We understand that between two and three hundred shares of stock had been subscribed up to date of organization, and that the Local Agent has since increased the number. The Local Board here has the assurance from the Company that they will lend stock-holders as much money as they desire on approved real estate security—the grand purpose of the institution of the Local Board being to supply the money for building up the waste places of the town, and to enable poor men to build houses for themselves and pay for them by easy monthly installments. Any person can become a stock-holder on paying an admittance fee of one dollar per share and monthly dues of 60 cents per share; and any stock-holder can obtain a loan from the Board on approved security. The Association is in the hands a splendid corps of officers all of whom will look carefully after its interests.

The Census.

The utmost care should be exercised by the census enumerators in this as well as all other parts of the country, and nothing short of a correct report should be made, as each enumerator will be held personally responsible for the report made by him. Already complaint has been made at this office that somebody is falling far short of doing their duty in the premises, which, if continued, must inevitably give great dissatisfaction, both to the people of this community and the Department at Washington.

Railroad Accident Near Asheville.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., June 14.—The westbound mail train on the R. & D. R. R., which left here at 4:45 this afternoon, was derailed two miles west of Marshall. Ten persons were hurt, some very seriously injured. Information of the disaster is meagre, owing to the reluctance of the railroad authorities. A special train conveying surgeons has gone from this place to the scene.

Personal Pencilings.

Hon. T. H. Sutton, Left Monday for a business trip to Raleigh.

Master John McKethan has gone to Morehead to attend the Teachers' Assembly.

J. C. McCaskill, of Maxton, and L. Shaw, of St. Paul's, were registered at the Hotel La Fayette Monday.

Messrs. H. L. Fry and W. H. Macfarland, of Greensboro, were here last Friday en route to Wrightsville.

Col. F. W. Kerchner, of Wilmington, came up Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week at Starr Camp.

The Misses Hamer, of Laurinburg, who have been on a visit to relatives in Fayetteville have returned home.

Mr. Dougald A. McDuffie is home again from Wake Forest College, where he has been at school for the past year.

Miss Maggie Pemberton has returned home from a pleasant visit to Greensboro, the guest of Misses Mary and Jeanie Gray.

Miss Bettie Evans, who has been teaching school at Gamewell, Caldwell county, has returned home for her summer vacation.

A. B. Pearsall and R. T. Covington of the *Farmer and Scottish Chief*, of Red Springs, were here Tuesday en route to Wilmington.

Capt. Fry and party passed through the city Tuesday on their return to Greensboro, from a pleasant trip to Wilmington, Carolina Beach and Wrightsville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Townsend, and Mr Mrs. P. L. Breeden, accompanied by Misses Annie and Allee Breeden, of Bennettsvill, S. C., spent a portion of the day here Saturday.

Mr. Jno. P. Steadman, who has been for some time past connected with the Egypt coal fields, has disposed of his interest in that enterprise to his associates, and after spending a few days in this city this week, left for San Francisco, California.

The OBSERVER was pleased to have a pleasant visit from Mr. W. D. Smith, of Godwin, this week. Mr. S. thinks the outlook exceedingly fine for a bountiful harvest this year, with indications equally favorable for a great Democratic victory in november next.

Dr. Hunter leaves to-day for Carolina Beach where he will join his family who have been spending a few days at this delightful resort. During his stay he will attend the State Dental Convention, which meets in Wilmington on the 24th to 27th inclusive, and will return home the 30th.

Dr. R. O. Hyatt, of Kinston, the optician, arrived in the city Monday afternoon and opened his office in the building formerly occupied by Messrs. Pemberton, next door to A. J. Cook & Co. where he will be glad to serve all in need of his services. Dr. Hyatt comes to Fayetteville well known to the physicians of our town and highly recomended as a professional man and those in need of his services should consult him as soon as possible. He guarantees all his work to give satisfaction or your money will be refunded.

A Touching and Eloquent Sermon on Odd Fellowship.

Rev. W. B. Oliver preached a memorial sermon in the Baptist Church here last Sunday on Odd Fellowship, which charmed his audience and elicited the highest prise from all sides. Mr. Oliver's eloquence and pathos stirred every heart within the sound of his voice and the action of Cross Creek Lodge, as found below, testifies to what extent the address was appreciated:

To the Officers and Members of Cross Creek Lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F.

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee, appointed to express in fitting terms your high appprecination of the sermon delivered by our brother, the Rev Will. B. Oliver, on Memorial Occasion, Sunday afternoon, 15th June, would respectfully report:

1st. That the thanks of this Lodge are due and hereby tendered to Bro. Oliver for his masterly and eloquent exposition of Odd Fellowship on that occasion—placing its objects before those assembled in a manner never excelled and in a way that cannot fail to add to the Order in the eyes of the public—giving the membership a clearer insight into the true principles of Odd Fellowship, besides adding fresh laurels to an already well deserved reputation and endearing him to each and every member of this Lodge.

2nd. That while it is impossible to express in fitting terms our thanks to Bro. Oliver for this excellent sermon, we can, at least, congratulate Odd Fellowship throughout the State that it numbers among its membership one who will add to its prestige and ably defend its principles.

Your Committee deem that it is due and they recommend that the thanks of this Lodge be tendered to the members of the Baptist Church for the use of their house of worship on that occasion, and especially do they recommend that the thanks of this body be tendered to the choir, individually and collectively, for the beautiful music rendered.

J. E. GARRETT,
Committee.

IN MEMORIAM.

Died, on the 11th inst. after a brief illness, ELLIE LEE, wife of G. G. Harley, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Fayetteville, and daughter of Maj. J. A. Lee, of Spartanburg, S. C.

Thus has closed, all too soon as it seemed to those who knew and loved her, the record of a young life of singular modesty, excellence and charm. Mrs. Harley came to Fayetteville a lovely bride, nearly six months ago, and during her brief residence among us, she has won, by her rare refinement, gentleness and grace of person, the devotion of those who were associated with her, and they will not need to be reminded of the true, sweet woman that she was. But at the outset of a most happy married life she was called away. Her suffering was borne with a most uncomplaining and patient sweetness. Her approaching death was faced with a touching simplicity of resignation to the will of God. Her many christian graces and beautiful traits of character, are a precious and undying memory. This calm and holy going forth to God right here among us must, I am sure, help those who survive, to live in the hope of a glorious immortality. M. C. D.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well-known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist, and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system, and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle, at B. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Democratic Township and County Conventions.

The Democratic County Convention of Cumberland County is called to meet at the Town Hall in Fayetteville, at 12 o'clock M., Saturday, June 28th, 1890, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Democratic State, Congressional and Judicial Conventions.

All Democrats of Cumberland County, except in Cross Creek and 71st Townships, are hereby notified to meet in Convention in their respective Townships at the usual place of meeting on Thursday, June 26th, 1890, for the purpose of electing delegates to said County Convention, according to the Democratic plan of organization.

The Democrats of Cross Creek will meet in the Town Hall on Thursday, June 26th, at 8:30 P. M.

The Democrats of Seventy-first Township will meet at Worrell's old still (Grant place) at 10 A. M. on said day.

The Executive Committees of the different Townships are requested to give further notice of said meeting.

By order of Committee.

HENRY L. COOK, Chm'n
Dem. Ex. Com.

Z. W. WHITEHEAD, Sec'y.
June 16, 1890.

THIS WEEK

ROSE & LEAK

have received a large lot of

Holland Window Shades,

complete, with Hartshorn Rollers Prices within the reach of all.
Also a new lot of ladies' and misses'

STAINLESS BLACK HOSIERY.

ROSE & LEAK call attention to their beautiful SMYRNA RUGS, MATTINGS, OIL CLOTH, &c.
They are closing out their CARPETINGS at very low figures.

ALL GOODS SOLD FOR CASH.

ONE PRICE TO ALL.

Respectfully,
ROSE & LEAK.
June 19, 1890.

Southwestern Building and Loan Association.

Capital Stock Twenty Million Dollars.

SHARES $100 EACH,

payable by monthly deposit of seventy cents per share.

Money loaned on real estate at six (6) per cent.

ON AMOUNT ACTUALLY LOANED.

No premiums on loans. Stock estimated to mature in six years.

OFFICERS:

DR. H. W. LILLY.....President.
W. N. WILLIAMS.....Vice-President.
A. J. COOK.....Secretary and Treasurer.
H. McD. ROBINSON.....Attorney.

DIRECTORS:

Dr. J. A. Hodges, Z. W. Whitehead, T. A. Barker, J. C. Vann, Dr. H. W. Lilly, W. N. Williams, A. J. Cook.

Parties desirous of subscribing to stock in this Association may obtain information oy calling on

E. J. FULLER,
Local Agent, Fayetteville, N. C.
June 19, 1890. tf

The Water of Life,

From Mount Vernon Springs, Chatham County, N. C.

LOCATION.

It is located in a beautiful little village, one mile from Ore Hill Station on the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., 40 miles south of Greensboro. The location is free from all malarial influences.

DESCRIPTION.

Here one finds mineral water of fine quality in a spring five feet deep. It is pleasant to the taste, cool and light as air itself. Marvellous cures in dyspepsia have been effected by the use of the water, and cutaneous diseases which have baffled medical skill have yielded to it. The water is not surpassed by any mineral water in the State.

It acts powerfully upon the kidneys, causes the urine to flow freely, and corrects entirely that extreme acidity of the urine which is often so painful; it also acts gently upon the bowels; it being especially good to aid digestion, stimulates the appetite, corrects the acidity of the stomach, and builds up the system.

It bubbles up through a crevice in a rock; wet or dry weather it never increases or diminishes in flow.

MT. VERNON SPRINGS HOTEL,

J. M. Foust, Owner and Proprietor, Mount Vernon Springs, N. C.

One mile from Ore Hill. Comfortable Rooms. Fare Good. Conveyance meet trains.

Terms: $7.50 to $2.00 per day; $7.00 per week; $20.00 to $25.00 per month of four weeks. Special rates to families. Correspondence solicited, and any information gladly given.

This place is second to none as a Summer Resort for those who like a quiet, home-like place. A charming spot to those who seek a place of rest and recreation.

The house is large and comfortable, with 500 feet of piazza running the entire length of the three buildings. The addition of 10 rooms at the west end gives 40 rooms. The rooms are large enough and well ventilated. From the piazza one overlooks the springs and scans the fine prospect beyond.

Around the premises is a dense oak forest through which comes a bracing breeze.

For the amusement of the guests there is a good ten pin alley and ball room. Beautiful shady walks and drives in every direction.

It may be truthfully said nature has done a wonderful part here.

No mosquitoes nor gnats. No stagnant water any where near. The drainage is perfect.

Dr. J. C. Kirkman, Attending Physician.
June 19, 1890. 2m

$10.00 Stock for $5.00.

West Salem Land Co.,

SALEM, - - - VIRGINIA,

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL $500,000,

OFFERS STOCK IN

Series C. Newcastle Series.

Shares of $10 par value are sold to subscribers at Five Dollars per share, payable May, June, July, August and September. One Dollar per month. Send your orders, with one dollar per share, or write for full particulars to

GEORGE ALLEN, PRESIDENT. OR C. C. TOMPKINS, SECRETARY.
June 19, 1890. 3m

A CARD.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Barnes desire to return their thanks to the officers and employees of the C. F. & Y. V. R'y, and to numerous friends in Fayetteville who rendered such kind services during the sickness of their son, John M. Barnes; and to tender them assurance that the same shall be held in grateful remembrance, so long as life shall last.
June 19, 1890. 1t

To the Citizens of Fayetteville.

You are urgently requested to have your premises thoroughly cleansed at once. The deputy health officers are visiting every house in the town limits, and will report all unabated nuisances.

JAMES A. HODGES, M. D.,
June 17, 1890. Sup't of Health.

FOR LAME BACK, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS — NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OXFORD!

The Coming North Carolina City!

In the Bright Tobacco Belt!

The Finest in the World!

Prize Warehouses!

Seminaries!

Tobacco Factories!

6,000 Population!

STREET RAILWAY!

ELECTRIC LIGHTS!

ETC. ETC. ETC.

The Oxford Land, Improvement and Manufacturing Co.

owns 591 acres of land in and around this booming town, which will be laid out in town lots, not less than 150x50 feet. Each holder of two shares of stock is guaranteed one of these lots, and may draw the Grandy Mansion, worth $7,500.

Stock $50.00 per share—$5.00 per share down and $5.00 per share monthly until paid.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SUBSCRIBE.

For further information call on

J. R. WILLIAMS, Agent,

or C. L. CAMPBELL, Solicitor.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

June 19, 1890.

C. O. D.

After this date my terms are cash when Brick are delivered. I cannot afford to do a credit business. Please remember this when your orders for Brick are placed. Five hundred and fifty thousand now on hand.

E. A. POE.
June 19, 1890. 3t

NOTICE.

Misplaced, an Ebony Walking Stick, with gold head, engraved
J. D. W.
From N. McK.
41—90.
Return to
June 1, 1890. J. D. WILLIAMS.

Administrator's Sale of Land.

By virtue of the power contained in an order of sale made by C. G. Cain, Esq., Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, in a certain matter pending in the Superior Court, wherein Jas. R. Carter, administrator, is plaintiff, and I. J. Carter and others heirs-at-law of John C. Graddy, dec'd, are defendants, the undersigned will on the 21st day of July, 1890, at the Market House in the Town of Fayetteville, at 12 o'clock M., expose to public sale all that tract of land lately owned and occupied by John C. Graddy, situated 4 miles south of Fayetteville, on the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. containing about 75 acres. Said sale is made for the purpose of raising assets for payment of debts of the said John C. Graddy.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance 3 and 6 months. Title reserved till purchase money is fully paid.

JAS. R. CARTER,
Adm'r of John C. Graddy.
JOHN G. SHAW, Att'y.
Fayetteville, N. C., June 17, 1890. ts

North Carolina, Cumberland County, SUPERIOR COURT.

SPECIAL PROCEEDING.

W. B. Ray and others vs. John Colvin, James Colvin, William Colvin and Mrs. —— Pitts.

IN the special proceeding above referred to it appearing, by affidavit to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendants cannot after due diligence be found within this State, and that they are proper parties to said proceeding, it being an action for the sale and partition of real estate situated in this County, it is ordered that publication be made once a week for six weeks in THE FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, a newspaper published at Fayetteville, N. C., requiring the said John Colvin, James Colvin, Wm. Colvin and Mrs. —— Pitts to appear and answer or demur to the petition of plaintiffs herein, at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County on the 28th day of July, 1890.

Let this order be published accordingly.

CHAS. G. CAIN, Clerk
of Cumberland Superior Court.
June 19, 1890. 6w

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.

NORTH CAROLINA, } Office
CUMBERLAND COUNTY. } Clerk Superior Court.

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of "The Hope Mills Lumber Company;" that the names of the incorporators are S. H. Cotton, H. C. Gadsby, H. C. Black, J. W. Beard, Jr., J. H. O. Carter, J. F Carter and L. J. Batton, and such others as they may associate with them; that the principal place of business shall be near Hope Mills, No. 2, in Rockfish Township, Cumberland County, N. C., and its general purpose and business are the manufacture and sale of rough and dressed Lumber, Laths and Wooden Ware; that the duration of the corporation shall be thirty years. The capital stock is four thousand dollars with privilege to increase to twenty-five thousand dollars, with leave to commence with twenty-two hundred dollars. The number of shares is forty-four of the value of fifty dollars per share. The stockholders are not individually liable for the debts of the corporation.

CHAS. G. CAIN,
Clerk Superior Court.
June 7, 1890. 4t

AUCTION SALE.

Cash Registers.

By virtue of a certain instrument of writing executed to me on November 30th, 1889, by Chas. H. Behre & Co., of Atlanta, Ga., per W. G. Lagerquest, Agent, and since ratified by said C. H. Behre & Co., I will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, the following personal property now in my possession, viz: One small Cash Register, No. 17,046, and two large Cash Registers, Nos. 5,115 and 6,690, manufactured by the National Cash Register Company, of Dayton, Ohio, and almost new. These Registers will be sold to satisfy a debt of $119 06, and interest on the same, from November 30th, 1889, owed me by said W. G. Lagerquest, Agent, and express charges amounting to $13.40, and all costs of this advertisement and sale. The Registers may be seen by calling at the Hotel LaFayette.

Time of sale: Thursday, July 10th, 1890, at 12 M.
Place of sale: Market House, Fayetteville, N. C.
Terms: cash.

T. A. BARKER, Manager
Hotel LaFayette.
H McD. ROBINSON, Att'y.
June 3, 1890. ts

HEADQUARTERS

—OF THE—

∴National Garment Cutter Company:∴

I take this opportunity of informing the readers of THE OBSERVER and public generally that the headquarters of the National Garment Cutter Company in Fayetteville, for the present, will be in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Garrett's Job Printing Office (up stairs) on Hay street. Lessons will be given in the tailor's rules and measurements reduced, simplified and made so plain that any one can cut coats, dresses, pants, children's clothing, and in fact anything worn by men, women and children. To cut, fit and make garments of every description that will conform to the prevailing fashion and fit perfectly is a most desirable attainment, and yet this is just what we guarantee.

May 29, 1890. tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Is Money Scarce?

We are led to doubt the oft-repeated assertion that "money is scarce in this section," when we remember our experience in past spring seasons and realize that we are doing a fine business this spring. Trade is really good with us, and we wish our friends to continue to help us "keep the ball in motion." Our stock was never so attractive before, nor were prices as low on

Fine Clothing

as are our figures for the present season. The every-day expressions of pleased customers attest the fact that such pretty and

STYLISH CLOTHING

as we show excels any stock heretofore brought to Fayetteville. Those who have not seen our goods should at once avail themselves of the opportunity, and if you will favor us with an early call we promise that you shall not be disappointed.

NOVITZKY & BRO.,
"The Fayetteville Clothiers."
April 24, 1890. tf

"Attention, Ladies of Cumberland Co."

DR. MCGILL'S Orange Blossom cures and is worth its weight in gold to any suffering girl or woman. By addressing Mrs. B. F. Miller, Defiance, N. C., and enclosing a 2 cent stamp, ladies of Cumberland County will receive free of charge, a sample box of this valuable remedy, Dr. McGill's plain talk to the ladies, and full particulars, as over ten thousand ladies in North Carolina alone have tested the merits of this wonderful cure, and many of them have requested that their names be given for reference. Those who wish to enquire can easily be convinced that whatever the failures of the past have been, we have in Orange Blossom a permanent and entirely safe cure for the stubborn forms of female weakness which have so baffled the skill of our best physicians, and held the mothers and daughters of our land prisoners in their iron grasp.

A lady agent wanted for each township in the county. Address MRS. B. F. MILLER,
Defiance, Randolph Co., N. C.
May 29, 1890. 3m

Judicial Convention---7th District.

The Democratic Judicial Convention for the 7th District will be held in Laurinburg, N. C., on the 16th day of July, 1890, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Judge and Solicitor, and for such other business as may properly come before the Convention. Each County will send delegates as provided by the State plan of organization.

By order of the Executive Committee.

THOS. A. MCNEILL,
June 12, 1890—tm} Chairman.

JAMES H. JOHNSON,

HOPE MILLS, N. C.,

would respectfully announce to the public that he is now prepared to fill all bills for

Rough and Merchantable Lumber,

all lengths and sizes, at short notice.

ORDERS SOLICITED.

I would announce further that I keep always on hand a full and complete stock of

DRY GOODS,

Groceries, Notions, &c.,

AT MY STORE AT

HOPE MILLS,

at prices lower than any one else. If you don't believe it call and examine for yourself

I therefore solicit your patronage.

Respectfully,
JAS. H. JOHNSON.
May 15, 1890. tf

ANNOUNCEMENT!

The Fayetteville Printing and Publishing Company, under the management of Mr. J. E. GARRETT, and fully equipped with new presses and every facility for executing first-class work, would announce their ability and readiness to meet every demand for

PRINTING and BINDING.

In their **PRINTING DEPARTMENT** they are prepared to print

BOOKS,
PAMPHLETS,
SCHOOL CATALOGUES,
CHECKS,
DRAFTS,
BILL HEADS,
LETTER AND NOTE HEADS,
STATEMENTS,
BUSINESS CARDS,
TAGS,
WEDDING INVITATIONS,
INVITATIONS OF ALL KINDS,
VISITING CARDS,
HANDBILLS,
NEWSAPERS,

as well as everything desired in the way of printing. In their

BINDING DEPARTMENT

they can supply you with a

FULL SET OF BOOKS,
LEDGERS,
DAY-BOOKS,
JOURNALS,
CASH BOOKS,

☞ Ruling the paper to any desired pattern.

PERFORATING,
NUMBERING, &c.

OLD BOOKS REBOUND at reasonable prices in paper, morocco, cloth or sheep.

In this connection they desire to state that their BINDERY is complete, and that they guarantee work and prices, and enter into competition with manufacturers North and South.

Court House Work a Specialty.

Records of Deeds, Records of Mortgages, Records of Wills, Criminal Dockets, Summons Dockets, Civil Issue Dockets and all other Dockets or Records that may be desired made to any size of very best Scotch Linen Papers

It is their intention to keep on hand all blanks for Clerks of Superior Courts and Magistrates, which they will offer at reasonable prices, taking into consideration quality of paper, etc.

Land Deeds, Land and Chattel Mortgages always on hand.

They call special attention to the fact that they are prepared to make books of any kinds or sizes and to furnish the most durable and popular styles of Binding.

The extent of their establishment is only to be measured by the demand, and they solicit work from every source, guaranteeing satisfaction in every case.

Their terms are cash on delivery in all cases

THE YELLOW-HAMMER'S TAP.

When gentle breezes softly play
O'er meadow's sweet, in fair-haired May,
And whisper secrets to the pines
In woodlands dense with clamb'ring vines;
When balmy springtime fills the air,
And scatters sweetness everywhere,
Then there comes the ceaseless rap
Of the yellow-hammer's tap—
Tip-tap, tip-tap, tip-tap-tip—
Tipity-tap,
Tapity-tip,
Tipity-tap-tap;
'Tis the merry pitter-patter
Of the yellow-hammer's tap.

When brown wrens peer through rough-hewn rail,
And oft is heard the drum of quail,
And thickets echo thrush's song,
And swollen brooklet bounds along;
When from the hedge the cat-birds cry,
And meadow-larks are soaring high,
Then there comes the merry tap
Of the yellow-hammer's rap—
Tip-tap, tip-tap, tip-tap-tip—
Tipity-tap
Tapity-tip,
Tipity-tap-tap;
'Tis the ceaseless pitter-patter
Of the yellow-hammer's tap.

When hazy shadows slowly creep,
And lampkins bleat themselves to sleep;
When from the pasture's daisied plain
Echoes the cow-bell's sweet refrain
That blends with negro teamster's song,
As down the road he rides along,
Again is heard the merry tap
Of the yellow-hammer's rap—
Tip-tap, tip-tap, tip-tap-tip—
Tipity-tap,
Tapity-tip,
Tipty-tap-tap;
'Tis the plaintive rat-a-tatter
Of the yellow-hammer's tap.

Raising Sweet Potatoes.

Prairie Farmer.]

The usual way to raise sweet potatoes is to mark out furrows four feet apart, in warm soil and exposure, to put good, barn-yard compost thickly in the furrows, then ridge upon the soil over the manure by means of plow or hoe, and set the plants about two feet apart along the top of the ridge. The operation of planting can be done most safely as follows: Select good, stout, well-rooted plants. Dip their roots in water, then distribute along the row, and immediately plant by inserting the plant into a hole made into the centre of the ridge with the index finger, and pressing the soil firmly about the roots so that a cup-like depression is left, with the plant standing firmly in the centre. A little water may be poured into this cup, afterwards.

I have frequently used "fertilizer" (some good special potato manure) with very excellent success. Common, good cultivation is given. In hoeing, the soil is darwn up to the plants; and when the vines have begun to run they should be occasionally lifted up from the ground to prevent them from taking root between the rows or hills, as they are otherwise apt to do. On the approach of the first fall frost the vines are cut off a few inches above the surface and the tubers lifted out with spading fork or other convenient tool. Care should be exercised to prevent bruising the tubers, as every bruise or cut invites speedy decay.

Potatoes in the South.

American Garden.]

Mr. Ullathorne's article (p. 268) shows how rapidly the new practice of growing seed potatoes is extending in the South. Only a few years ago we thought that it was absolutely essential to get Northern grown seed for the early potato crop. Now we know that potatoes raised in autumn here from Northern seed planted in spring give us our best seed, but I do not think it advisable to extend the process further. Enough Northern-grown potatoes should be planted in spring to furnish seed for the late crop, or deterioration will set in. All the Northern potatoes we are now getting here (March 15) are badly sprouted and unfit for table use, but I am eating North Carolina grown potatoes dug in December last, which have not started an eye and which, upon cooking, show by their dry and mealy condition that the starch is still unehanged. It will not be long before the Northern markets will seek a spring table supply of these magnificent potatoes to take the place of the clammy sprouted potatoes of spring time, and a new demand will set up for a Southern product. Most of our growers plant this late crop too early. We had potatoes last fall which did not appear above ground until after the middle of September, and yet made a better crop than some planted in July. The proper time for planting here is 15th to 20th of August.

Found Treasure Indirectly.

N. Y. Tribune.]

A father, dying, told his sons that there was treasure buried on his farm, but did not disclose the spot. They, in their search, dug the farm over so thoroughly that it proved a mine of wealth. It is simply incredible to many what wonders can be wrought by thorough, persistent, wise cultivation of the commonest and poorest farms. I have seen very poor, worn-out farms change hands, when a few years would produce an almost magical change, and this, too, without any great outlay—all due to careful management, rotation of crops, resting the land, etc. So, too, have I seen good farms by a change of owners degenerate to a shameful degree.

Farm Notes.

Early potatoes are better if dug as soon as ripe, and either sold or stored in a cool, dry, well-ventilated cellar.

Nothing on the farm pays better than a good garden. It furnishes fresh fruits and vegetables and promotes health.

One hundred fowls will produce manure enough when carefully saved, to top dress one acre of grass or fertilize two acres of corn.

Poor cows are dear at any price; really good ones, if young, are never sold too high. A cow should give at least $50 worth of milk a year.

It is well for farmers to bear in mind that the average fer all breeds of cows is about six pounds of hay or its equivalent, for one quart of milk.

The excursions of bees to collect honey are variously estimated at from one to three miles each, and they are supposed to make each about ten trips per day.

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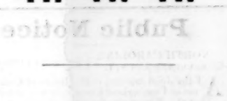

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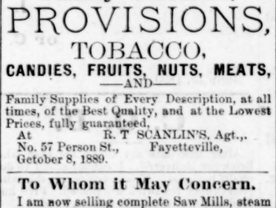

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Yours truly,
JAS. A. GARLICK, M. D.
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ROBIOW'S STATION, CHESTERFIELD CO., VA., March 25, 1885.

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Dear Sir:—Having suffered for years with a chronic affection of the kidneys, derangement of the liver, and my general system charged with malarial poison, I found no relief from treatment of medicine ut.til I used VEGETABLE NOLANDINE. I am now free from above complaints, and to NOLANDINE I am indebted for this restoration to health. I honestly recommend it to all persons suffering from the above diseases.
WILLIAM DICKSON, Superintendent of Coal Mines.

RICHMOND, VA., May, 1885.

I can cheerfully recommend JOHNSTON'S VEGETABLE NOLANDINE to any one suffering from liver or kidney complaints and bilious derangement of the system. Its prompt and permanent action in my case affords me pleasure to recommend it to others similarly affected.
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409 EAST CLAY STREET, RICHMOND, VA., March 10, 1886.

Mr. Jos W. Johnston:

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Yours truly,
J. B. DOWDEN.
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J. W. Johnston:

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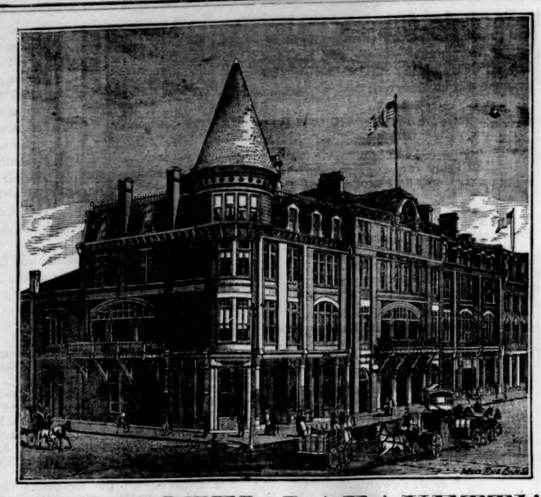

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Arrive Fayetteville,	1:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:15 p m		
Leave Sanford,	3:53 p m		
Arrive Greensboro,	6:40 p m		
Leave Greensboro,	7:10 p m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	8:45 p m		
Arrive Mt. Airy,	10:45 p m		
Leave Bennettsville,		8:20 a m	
Arrive Maxton,		9:35 a m	
Leave Maxton,		9:45 a m	
Arrive Fayetteville,		11:45 a m	
Leave Franklinsville,			6:55 a m
Arrive Greensboro,			9:25 a m
Leave Greensboro,			10:10 a m
Arrive Madison,			12:35 p m

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	Daily Except Sunday. No. 2.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 4.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 16.
Leave Mt. Airy,	5:45 a m		
Arrive Greensboro,	9:15 a m		
Leave Greensboro,	9:50 a m		
Leave Sanford,	12:33 p m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	2:10 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:40 p m		
Arrive Wilmington,	6:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,		3:30 p m	
Arrive Maxton,		5:20 p m	
Leave Maxton,		5:30 p m	
Arrive Bennettsville,		6:45 p m	
Leave Madison,			1:40 p m
Arrive Greensboro,			4:00 p m
Leave Greensboro			4:40 p m
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Leave Weldon	12 30 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 46 "	.....
Arrive Tarboro	†2 00 P. M.	.....
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	.....
Arrive Wilson	2 20 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	†2 30 "	.....
Arrive Selma	3 40 "	.....
Arrive Fayetteville	6 00 "	.....
Leave Goldsboro	3 15 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	4 10 "	.....
Leave Magnolia	4 24 "	8 07 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	5 50 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 14. Daily.	No. 78, Daily.
Leave Wilmington	12 01 A. M.	9 00 A M
Leave Magnolia	1 21 "	10 34 "
Leave Warsaw	.....	10 48 "
Arrive Goldsboro	2 23 A. M.	11 45 "
Leave Fayetteville	.....	8 40 A. M.
Arrive Selma	.....	11 00 "
Arrive Wilson	.....	12 10 P. M.
Leave Wilson	3 03 A. M.	12 37 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	.....	1 10 "
Arrive Tarboro	.....	†2 00 "
Leave Tarboro	.....	10 20 A M.
Arrive Weldon	4 30 A. M	2 45 P. M.

"Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Read leaves Weldon 3:15 P M, Halifax 3:37 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 4:25 P M, Greenville 6:00 P M. Returning, leaves Greenville 7:20 A M. Arriving Halifax at 10:10 A M, Weldon 10.30 A M, daily except Sunday.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Local Freight leaves Weldon 10:30 A M, Halifax 11:30 A M, Scotland Neck 2:00 P M. Arriving Greenville 5:10 P M. Returning, leave Greenville Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:30 A M, Scotland Neck 1:00 P M, Halifax 3:35 P M. Arriving Weldon 4:00 P M.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 4:05 P M, Sunday 3:00 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 6:30 P M, 4:20 P M, Plymouth 7:50 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M. Sunday 9:00 A M, Williamston, N C, 7:10 A M, 9:50 A M. Arrive Tarboro 9:30 A M, 11:20 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 3:40 P M, Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10;35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:10 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:10 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 27 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. Northbound is No 50. "Daily except Sunday.

Train No 27 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

All Trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleepers attached.

J. R. KENLEY, General Sup't.
JOHN F. DIVINE, Gen'l Sup't Trans.
T. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

Carolina Central Railroad Company,
Change of Schedule.

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 41. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 51. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 5. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Wilm'g'n	2.20 p. m.	7.30 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	6.45 p. m.	2.00 a. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.39 p. m.	3.15 a. m.	
A've Char'lot'e	9.35 p. m.	6.10 a. m.	
L've Char'lot'e			4.15 p. m.
L've Lincoln'n			5.51 p. m.
L've Shelby			6.57 p. m.
Ar've Ruth'f'n			8.20 p. m.

EASTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 38. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 54. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 6. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Ruthf't'n			8.00 a. m.
L've Shelby			9.22 a. m.
L've Lincoln'n			10.36 a. m.
Ar've Char'te			12.05 p. m.
L've Charlo'te	5.15 a. m.	8.30 p. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.08 a. m.	11.28 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	8.20 a. m.	1.45 a. m.	
Ar've Wil'm'n	12.30 p. m.	7.45 a. m.	

Trains Nos. 41 ank 38 make close connection at Hamlet, between Charlotte and points North via Raleigh.

Trains Nos. 51 and 54 make close connection at Hamlet, to and from Raleigh.

Through Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Charlotte and Wilmington and Raleigh.

T. W. WHISNANT, Superintendent.
W. F. Clark, General Passenger Agent.